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7 IRISHMEN EXECUTED FOR INTERFERING WITH TRAINS

Men Captured Nov. 13 in House in Which Stolen Goods, Rifles and Ammunition Were Found, Reported to Have Been Republican Army Members.

ATTACK ON HOME OF BARON GLENavy's SON

Armed Men Order All Occupants From Residence of Gordon Campbell in Dublin and Set Fire to the Building.

SOLDIER AND WOMAN FOUND SHOT TO DEATH IN HOTEL ROOM

San Antonio Police Believe He Shot Her and Self—Her Husband Was in Room Near By.

By the Associated Press

DUBLIN, Dec. 19.—Four railway men and three laborers were executed here this morning for interfering with trains in County Kildare. The seven men executed were captured Nov. 13 by Free State troops in a house, the location of which is unknown. With them a quantity of stolen goods, rifles and ammunition was found.

The men were tried by a military committee and sentenced to death on the charge of train wrecking. The sentence was carried out at 12 o'clock this morning.

The men executed are reported to have been members of the Republican army.

Official Army Report. The official army report of the executions gives the names of the men as Stephen White and Patrick Maguire of Kildare, laborers; Joseph Constance and Patrick Mangan of Kildare, railway workers; James Constance of Bansha, Tipperary, and Patrick Constance of Rathbride, laborers.

They were arrested with a number of others at Rathbride, in County Kildare, says the official report, which adds that they were found guilty by a Military Committee of sentencing, without proper authority, 600 rounds of ammunition, four bombs with detonators and one revolver.

Train wrecking, the tearing up of tracks and the blowing up of bridges has been practiced on a large scale by Republican sympathizers in Ireland since the irregulars began their operations. This has badly disrupted the railway system and port trade.

Today's drastic action aimed at the interference with train operations was under the blanket measure taken by the Dail Eireann last fall, giving authority to suppress disorders. Previous executions have been in connection with the use or possession of arms, except that the last execution of capital punishment on Nov. 8, when Rory O'Connor, Liam Mellows and two other republican leaders were executed, was officially announced as in reprisal for the assassination of Sean Hales, the Deputy for the day previous.

The executions recorded have been as follows:

Nov. 11—James J. Fisher, Peter Constance, Richard Tuchy and John Jaffrey, Dublin republicans, shot for having revolvers in their possession.

Nov. 12—Ernest Chidlers, chief of the Ironminers' Union, executed for having had an automatic pistol in his possession.

Nov. 20—Joseph Spooner, Patrick Murphy and John Murphy, executed for armed participation in a bomb attack.

Nov. 26—Rory O'Connor, Liam Mellows, Joseph McKevelly and Richard Barrett, executed in reprisal for the Hales assassination.

Today's executions make a total of 19 by the Free State in the little more than a month.

Grandson of Carnegie Born.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America today issued a request for 100,000 congregations in the United States to observe Dec. 24 as "World peace Sunday," to demand that the Government of the world find ways to settle their disputes other than by war.

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'ISOLATIONISTS' IN U.S. HAVE BEEN REPUDIATED, SAMUEL GOMPERS SAYS

By the Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The "progressive" group in Congress leaves little to be desired in its attitude toward domestic issues, but it renounces its own progressive when international affairs are under consideration," Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, declared in an editorial addressed to the newly strengthened group of progressive legislators in the January number of the American Federationist, urging that America must play her part in world affairs.

"When the present administration has availed itself of office in a wave of mixed hatreds and emotions," the labor leader writes, "it was claimed that the American people had declared for isolation. If that claim was true, then, now that those who claimed this repudiation as the reason for their victory have been themselves repudiated, the policy for isolation has been repudiated, and the door is open to intelligent and constructive participation in the affairs of the world."

Walter Forshee, 21, Convicted of Manslaughter, Has Caused Death of Two Persons in 19 Months.

DRIVER OF AUTO TRUCK THAT KILLED BOY FINED \$500

Child Run Over in Front of His Home at 1911A McNair — Forshee's Chauffeur's License Revoked.

LAST OF FATALITIES OCCURRED JUNE 11

Representative Woodruff Says Prosecutions in Six War Fraud Cases He Complained of Are Under Way.

Fire Damage Estimated at \$10,000 at Asphalt Plant

Blaze at 612 South First Thought to Have Been Caused by Sparks From Engine.

LONG DISTANCE PHONOGRAPH Device Will Record Sounds Made Hundreds of Miles Away.

Device Told to Turn Truck Into McNaught Avenue from Allen Avenue, running at 10 miles an hour, and reduced this speed to nine miles, as he approached two cars parked on the opposite sides of the street. Two or three persons were standing between one car he said, and another drove his horn. As he passed between the two machines, he said, the child ran in front of the truck, and he swerved to the left in an unsuccessful attempt to avoid hitting the child.

He said he noticed his employer of the accident, returned to the scene and surrendered to a policeman. He admitted the previous fatality, but was not questioned about it in any detail.

Owner of Truck a Witness. His employer, Joseph McGarry, testified that the truck, which was new and in good condition, had not run more than 5 miles an hour without the breaking of the seal on the governor, and that the seal was not broken. A truck dealer, and a Police Department mechanic, gave testimony supporting his statement.

Testimony as to Speed. The speed of the truck when the rubber boy was struck was not agreed on by witnesses for the prosecution and defense yesterday. McGarry testified that it was traveling at 15 to 20 miles an hour and John Roth, 4323 Gertrude Avenue, who was preparing to start on an automobile trip with the rubber boy, declared the truck's speed was 15 to 20 miles an hour.

Raymond Detting of 1502A Market street, a helper of Forshee's truck, which was owned by the State Transportation Co., 2250 Geyer Avenue, of which McGarry was the head, testified in Forshee's behalf that the speed was 10 miles an hour. His testimony before the grand jury which indicted Forshee, that the speed was 12 to 14 miles an hour, was called to his attention.

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9-FOOT THIGH BONES OF DINOSAUR FOUND IN THE ARGENTINE

Largest Ever Unearthed—Conjectured Animal Was About 140 Feet Long.

By the Associated Press

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 19.—Discovery of the thigh bones of a Patagonian dinosaur, each bone measuring two meters and 70 centimeters (nearly nine feet) in length, and said to be the largest unearthed in any part of the world, is announced by la Plata Museum.

These two bones, together with other fossil remains of the gigantic animal, were found by the museum's paleontological experts at la Plata on Nov. 29. It is stated that the largest thigh bones previously unearthed measured two meters and 10 centimeters. They were discovered in the United States.

The skeleton of the great diplodocus assembled at the Carnegie Museum has thigh bones only 1 meter and 50 centimeters long, although the entire skeleton measures 25 meters, and from these figures it is conjectured that when the Patagonian dinosaur roamed the Mesozoic forests it was at least 45 meters, or about 140 feet long.

Further explorations are planned for next March, in an effort to unearth the remainder of the skeleton.

REPRESENTATIVE WOODRUFF

SAYS PROSECUTIONS IN SIX

WAR FRAUD CASES HE COMPLAINED OF ARE UNDER WAY.

By the Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Hearings on impeachment charges against Attorney-General Daugherty were resumed yesterday.

He was broken off by withdrawal of Kellar.

By the Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The decision of Federal Judge Hand at New York, holding that foreign vessels cannot bring intoxicating liquors into the territorial waters of the United States was attacked as contrary to immemorial usage and unwaranted by any present law in a brief for the foreign lines filed in the Supreme Court today by Former Attorney-General Keller.

Representative Woodruff, Republican, Michigan, who had charged a failure by the Attorney-General to prosecute war fraud cases, told the committee that since he made his charges last April the situation had changed. "Due to the fact that the Attorney-General has started out to take the necessary action to begin proceedings in at least six of the eight or nine cases I mentioned in my charges."

Chairman Volstead replied that he assumed the committee was authorized to inquire only into the charges contained in the specifications filed by the foreign lines.

Woodruff said he had nothing to do with the preparation of Keller's impeachment charges and that he was present in response to an invitation of Chairman Volstead to lend to the committee such assistance as he could.

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INFORMATION OF ROBBERY AT MINT GIVEN BY WOMAN

Denver Police Express Belief Local Gang Held Up Reserve Bank Truck and Killed Guard.

YOUTH DESCRIBES FIGHT WITH GUARDS

One of Gang Slumped in Seat of Fleeing Auto, Apparently Shot in Face, He Asserts.

By the Associated Press.
DENVER, Colo., Dec. 19.—Information furnished by a woman today gave the police new hope of arresting the robbers who yesterday held up a Federal Reserve Bank truck in front of the United States Mint here and escaped with \$200,000 in currency, after a shotgun fight, in which Charles T. Linton, one of the truck guards, was fatally wounded.

The informant, it was said at police headquarters, gave detailed information to the officers that has aided them in narrowing down their man hunt to a quartet of men, some of whom are known to the police. The police declared they were satisfied the robbery was the work of a local gang of underworld characters of more than ordinary cunning and daring.

The number of the stolen bills, all of \$5 denomination, as given out by the Federal Reserve Bank, were from 20,851,001 to 20,876,000 and from 20,940,001 to 20,956,000.

The city and county of Denver today offered a reward of \$10,000 for the capture, dead or alive, of the robbers.

The truck, accompanied by a E. Oseen, cashier of the local Federal Reserve Bank, who was in charge of the party; Guards Linton and J. Adams and a chauffeur, William Haveron, had called at the mint to transfer the \$200,000, all in \$5 bills, from the mint vaults to the bank. The mint guards had just taken the money to the curbing turned over to the bank employees and returned inside the building when the robbers drove up and stopped their car behind the truck.

The holdup man at once opened fire in the main door of the mint, shooting Linton in the stomach. He died two and one-half hours later without regaining consciousness.

Employees of the mint, all of whom have shotguns near their posts of duty, seized their weapons and rushed to the doors and windows, but were handicapped in returning the fire because the bank employees were between them and the robbers. While the fight raged, one of the robbers put the money in the car and drove off past the State Capitol building, two blocks away. During the fight, one robber stood on the running board to fire a final volley at the mint guards. A bullet from one of the guards' guns apparently hit him, for he crumpled up and was dragged inside.

A bloody sawed-off shotgun was picked up in the street about a half block away from the mint where it had been dropped by the robbers. The gun was loaded and the shells were filled with extra size buckshot. Linton, according to information obtained by the police, attempted to obtain the money from the grilled back compartment of the Reserve Bank truck when the robbers appeared and he was shot. Linton fell to the pavement, but managed to crawl to the sidewalk, where he lay during the fight.

The robbers' swift-moving car forced a machine driven by A. L. Benthke, Assistant City Attorney, into the curbing and against a fireplug, which was broken off. This did not check the speed of the fleeing car for an instant.

Forty distinct bullet holes were counted in the transoms above the main entrance to the mint and in the second-story windows of the building. The granite walls of the government building likewise are chipped where the bullet holes are. Buildings across the street likewise show the intensity of the fire of the guards. Windows in various stores and apartment houses over the scores were riddled and many now show escapes from bullets on the part of the robbers who were reported to police headquarters.

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"At the sound of the shot a number of guards came running out of the mint and started firing. They were shooting at the bandits who began shooting back. One of the bandits remained in the car and hunched down behind the wheel.

"Just as I dodged behind a building the guards began peppering the front of it. I saw one of the bandits shooting at the lock on the front of the truck. The first shot shattered

DOCTOR TELLS A DRAMATIC STORY OF SHOOTING DOWN OF 6 MEN AT HERRIN CEMETERY

Strip Mine Prisoners Were Tied Together, Then Fired Upon After They Had Fallen in Heap, Dr. Shipman Says.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

MARION, Ill., Dec. 19.—Dr. O. E. Shipman, an eye, ear and throat specialist of Herrin, on the witness stand yesterday afternoon in the Herrin massacre trial, gave an unrestrained and graphic description of the shooting down of six men at the Herrin Cemetery on June 22, which held the packed courtroom spellbound with the horror of it.

He heard that men who were strip mine miners were being brought out to go to Thirteenth street, where crowds were waiting. "More they come," was the cry. He looked and saw six prisoners marching up the road between the two files of men, some of whom carried revolvers. They were bleeding, ragged, dusty men. Blood was streaming down the face of one. Another had been wounded in the side and was holding his hand to the wound. One man had been wounded in the arm and was supporting it with the other.

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RAILROAD OFFICERS OPEN TO CENSURE

I. C. C. Inspectors Say Wreck on Pennsylvania Was Due to Defective Airbrake.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Operating officers of the Pennsylvania Railroad are "open to censure" in connection with the wreck on that road, Nov. 7, at Cincinnati, which resulted in the death of an employee and injury to 61 passengers and employees, the safety inspectors of the Interstate Commerce Commission reported today.

The wreck occurred, the inspectors declared, because the airbrake on the engine was defective.

Reports had been made by engineers concerning previous airbrake defects on this engine; the inspection board, however, had reported the work had been done.

"There is no excuse for permitting an engine to be operated with airbrake equipment in the defective condition which existed in the case of this engine, and in view of these conditions the operating officials are open to censure," the inspectors said.

"Furthermore, the time table schedules provided in several instances for higher rates of speed than would be possible without involving prescribed speed restrictions. Proper adjustment of the schedules should be made."

SURVIVOR TELLS OF MASSACRE IN WOODS AT HERRIN

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now whether the strip miners returned to the fire. During the night there was a series of explosions when the steam shovels and derricks were blown up.

An airplane circled above the mine and there were explosions which sounded like bombs.

About 12 o'clock there was an attack in considerable force. The besieged men returned the fire.

At daybreak Assistant Superintendent Shoemaker and the witness went to the office and tried to get the central operator, but could not.

The firing increased from all sides and the attackers crept closer, men inside, under the floor, and outside.

McDowell did not return the fire. The flag had been taken down and drawn. The flag was raised again and the besieged men laid down their arms and surrendered.

Promise of Safety.

Q. Who were those four? A. Jack Carnaghi, Leva Mann, Percy Hall, Jim Galligan.

Q. I will get you to tell the jury by looking over the courtroom whether or not you see any of the men that did not return the fire. A. Yes, sir, there are two of them.

Q. Tell the jury which two they are. A. Jack Carnaghi, or Joe, and Leva Mann were two of them.

Q. Point them out to the jury. A. These two sitting here in the middle.

The Court let the record show he pointed to Leva Mann and Joe Carnaghi.

Q. What kind of weapons were they shooting with that you observed at that time? A. All that I saw were revolvers.

Q. At the time that the shooting took place tell the jury how near you were to the place where the men were that were shot. A. I was standing possibly within 20 feet of the men, maybe 30.

Q. What happened to them at the time that this shooting commenced, or afterwards? A. Well, they all fell over in the road and were bleeding from many wounds. This man Hoffman was lying on the north side of his right-hand side, with his hands over his elbow, and he had nothing but an undershirt. His left shoulder was bare. There was another man fell on his back with the feet up to the west. There was another man on the south side of the road lying on his back, with the feet up to the west.

Q. Have you since learned what his name was? A. I have since heard that was his name.

Q. Have you seen the man since that time? A. Several times.

Q. Did you make any attempt to find out what his name was? A. I did when I saw him standing across the street. I felt positive that he was the man I had seen him.

Q. Have you ever seen him since? A. I have not seen him since.

Q. Now, then, with having seen him before and with seeing him at that time and setting the view of him that you did and having seen him since, if you know who the man was tell the jury who he was. A. I was more positive it was Percy Hall; Saw him on streets.

Q. About how many times had you seen Percy Hall before that time? A. I couldn't say. Only just as I have seen him on the streets in Herrin. In fact, I didn't know that was his name at that time.

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Q. When did you learn who he was? A. I learned that that was his name.

Q. Did you see that man again? A. No.

HARDMAN IS ACQUITTED IN RENAKER MURDER CASE

Two Other Persons, One of Them the "Turkey King's" Widow, Still Are Under Charges.

By the Associated Press.

WINCHESTER, Ky., Dec. 19.—Seobee Hardman was acquitted by a jury today of the charge of murdering Leon Renaker, the Bluegrass "Turkey King." Two other persons, one of them Renaker's widow, are under charges in connection with his death.

Thieves Hid Loot in Cemetery.

Correspondence of the Associated Press.

MOSCOW, Nov. 15.—Ingenious thieves of this city have been using an old graveyard in which to hide food supplies pilfered from railroad cars. The loot was buried at night under what, the next day, looked like newly made graves. Ultimately the police recovered 15 tons of sugar, and half as much cocoa and flour, all of which had been abstracted from railroad supplies.

Fire Routs Lodgers in Cleveland.

By the Associated Press.

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 19.—Four persons, three of them firemen, were injured early today when fire destroyed a building on Broadway, causing a loss estimated at more than \$100,000. Men sleeping in nearby lodging houses were rescued from smoke-filled rooms by the police.

BOOTH FOUND IN SALOON FOR "SPECIAL CUSTOMERS"

Door Electrically Controlled From Bar—Nine Persons Taken in Five Raids by Dry Agents.

A closed booth, with an electrical controlled door, and equipped with a small bar at which "special customers" might be served, was found by Federal enforcement agents last night in a saloon at 2747 Morgan street, in one of five raids in which nine persons were arrested.

The booth was located at the end of the main bar. When a "special" stepped to that end of the bar, the Federal agents said, the booth door could be opened and shut by an electric device, controlled by a pushbutton within reach of the bartender. Service was available within the booth. The proprietor, Philip Mandrich, was arrested after the agents had come into the bar.

This statement was issued, it was learned, to set at rest what were described as "highly fantastical stories" which have been published regarding the possibility of the flotation of an international loan to Germany, estimated as high as \$1,500,000.

Local international bankers are said to believe that before any loan is made by this country to Germany there must be not only a settlement of the reparations due to Germany, but a loan made by Germany to balance her budget, revise her banking system and stabilize her currency, which has been enormously inflated. If these conditions are met, a small loan of short duration may be made through local bankers, but the possibility of such an undertaking is said to be, "very remote" at this time.

Morgan & Co.'s Statement.

WILSEFIELD, the German Ambassador, called on Mr. Morgan on Saturday to make inquiry as to the possibility of our undertaking to assist in floating a large, so-called international loan to Germany. In his reply Mr. Morgan adverted to the statement that he had made following the sittings of the Bankers' Committee last June, and in effect told the Ambassador that our position was exactly the same as it was then.

"Furthermore, the time table schedules provided in several instances for higher rates of speed than would be possible without involving prescribed speed restrictions. Proper adjustment of the schedules should be made."

MAN CRITICALLY HURT WHEN HIT BY FOURTH STREET CAR

Motorman Says Pedestrian Was Thrown on Track When Struck by Truck—Driver Held.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Adjustment of the reparations dispute between London and Paris is the crux of the European tangle, in the American viewpoint, as stated here yesterday. The American position is that the reparations should be made to Germany unless the Washington administration has been made concerning Morgan's visit to Secret-

NO LOAN BEFORE REPARATION SETTLEMENT, J. P. MORGAN SAYS

"German Ambassador Was So Informed Saturday," Declares Statement on "Fantastical Stories."

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—J. P. Morgan & Co. issued a statement last night declaring they had notified the German Ambassador to this country that it was impossible for us to discuss or consider a loan to Germany unless and until the reparations question was settled.

This statement was issued, it was learned, to set at rest what were described as "highly fantastical stories" which have been published regarding the possibility of the flotation of an international loan to Germany, estimated as high as \$

LS AT ZOO
LING UP FOR
WINTER SLEEP
hat Don't Hibernates,
Warmth, Are in Their
Weather Quarters.

callers at the Zoo will find St. Louis' big animal family for a long winter's nap. A hibernating animal already has with a protecting paw over snout and are blissfully of the chill winds and snow. An occasional bridle in stalking about the bear

hants and "hippo" are in their winter home. Two or three may be taken out with a blanket over their backs off biting winds that colds to the warm-blooded. They are content in their bunks and the stalls.

White House PARLEY
LASTS FOUR HOURS

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Philip Luzynski, when

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Conference of Four Hours.

The conference was at a luncheon given by the President for the governors, Vice President Coolidge, Secretary Mellon, Attorney-General Daugherty and Prohibition Commissioner Hayes. Talk went on around the table for four hours. Each Governor in turn was invited to review conditions in his state, and suggestions of stopping liquor law violations.

The first comment afterwards by Allen of Kansas, whose views were much in demand at the luncheon, was that "it was a corking luncheon. The President has certainly got himself a good cook."

The point chiefly stressed at the meeting was the need of better co-operation between the state and Federal enforcement arms. In reviewing the discussion, Gov. Allen said it centered wholly about means of enforcing the existing laws. Neither from the President nor from anyone else, he said, was there any suggestion of any political modification of the law to permit the sale of light wines and beer, or its amendment in any other respect.

Two criticisms were generally voiced. Allen said: One was directed at the metropolitan newspapers for their "jollying" attitude toward prohibition; their inclination, in Allen's words, to take prohibition as one of the merry affairs of life" and not as a serious matter.

The other complaint was against the Federal judiciary. A majority of the governors holding that the United States courts were letting law violators down too easily.

Bigger Enforcement St. ff Urged.

A number of the governors suggested that the present staff of enforcement officers ought to be increased in order that ports of entry and the roads traveled by rum runners might be better policed. Commissioner Hayes approved the suggestion, but said that the present staff of 4,000 men absorbed all his appropriation for enforcement.

The most astonishing thing about the conference, Allen said, "was the sense of confidence in the part of nearly all the governors that an agreement was steadily improving. It seemed to be taken for granted that the law was here as a permanent thing and that it was capable of enforcement, with proper co-operation between the states and the Federal Government."

"It developed that there is less trouble over enforcement in Kansas than in any other state in the Union. In fact, it is looked upon by the Federal enforcement officers as a sort of experiment station which proves the prohibition can be enforced and that it results in a great economic savings."

What has been done in Kansas is taken as an indication of the future of the prohibition law on a national scale.

The Government is now going through exactly the same plan that Kansas went through in the early days of prohibition in that State. After 20 years of prohibition there was more flagrant violation of the law than exists in any city in the United States today. A hundred saloons were running wide open in Wichita alone. But after 25 years we have satisfactory enforcement, and to-day Kansas is thoroughly dry. Kansas and Alabama have the stiffest prohibition laws in the United States.

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Hyde mentioned no names of Federal officers in Missouri, but confined himself to the general complaint that they had been lukewarm in their efforts to make the Volstead act effective. He told the President and his fellow Governors that, while Missouri had by no means been dry, the net results of prohibition in that State had been good. He promised the full co-operation of the State in any endeavor to aid the Federal Government in the dry law enforcement.

Another Governor who complained of his enforcement by the Federal officers in his State was McCray of Indiana.

McCray was taken to hospital to be treated for 11 bruises caused by his fall from the automobile. He

is Blair avenue.

Wives of Three Men Accused of Bigamy



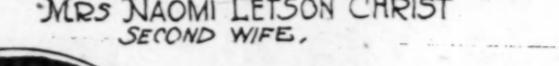
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SECOND WIFE

vote in Kansas today, more than 90 per cent of the people would be for it."

Another Meeting Soon.

Allen said that the President had no complaints to make, but let the Governors know that he was hopeful of getting from the States the full benefit of the concurrent enforcement powers vested in them. The President, he said, left most of the talking to the Governors. The President indicated that he would call another conference shortly to talk over the same situation with the new Governors who will take office next year. Most of those present yesterday are about to go out of office.

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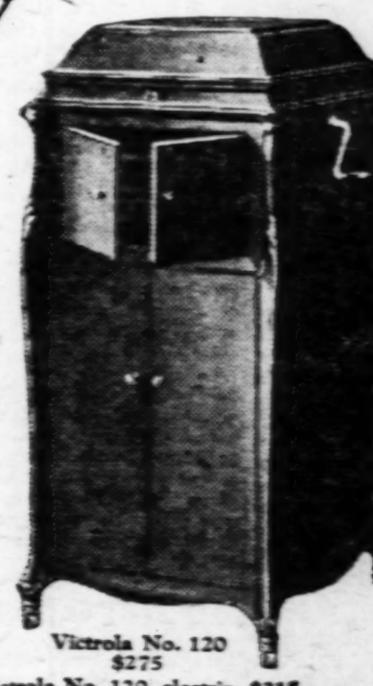
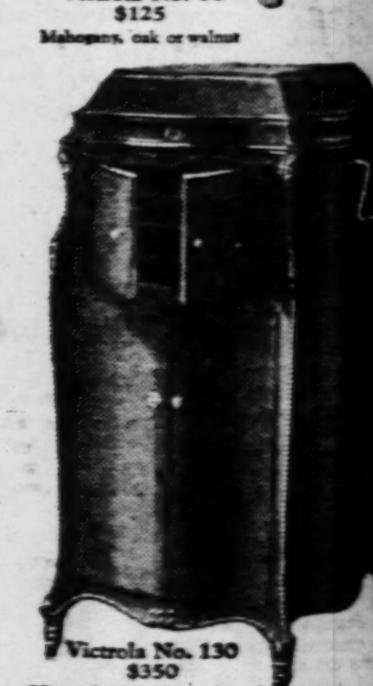
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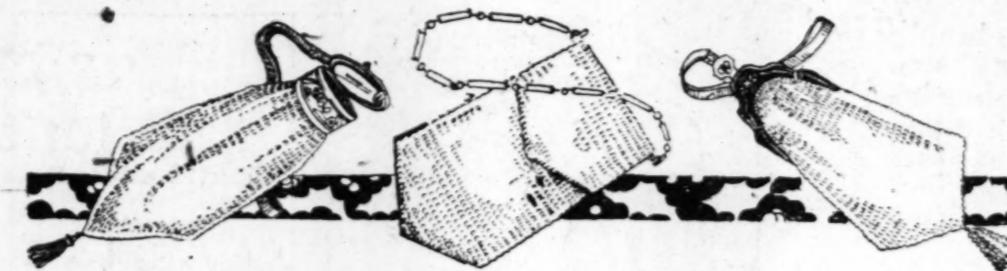
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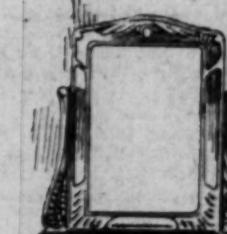


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REID'S ABANDONMENT OF DRUG MADE HIM ILL

Condition Improved—Influenza Will Be Assigned as Cause if He Does Not Recover.

The Associated Press
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 19.—Reports available today from the sanitarium where Wallace Reid, motion picture actor, is suffering from a breakdown which relatives ascribed to complications following his abstinence from whisky and narcotics. Indicated an improvement in his condition. Reid's physicians said the actor's temperature was 100° normal and his pulse had dropped from 128 to 112. They added he was able to take nourishment.

The physicians said Reid's decline followed his abandonment of drugs and liquor, but the specific ailment which threatened his life was influenza. If the actor failed to recover, it was added, influenza would be the cause written on the death certificate.

The Methodist Preachers' Association of Southern California planned to ask the City Council today to appoint a commission of men and women to make a thorough investigation of the use of habit-forming drugs in Los Angeles. It adopted a long resolution in which it was stated:

"It is persistently rumored that the names of some of the biggest producers and actors in Southern California are linked with his (Reid's) sight. In all this the city has suffered irreparably. The cinema industry is either infested with an immoral element, the degenerates of industry's good morale and decency, our city and nation and this city's good name, or else it has been and is being maligned and slandered in an unthinkable manner."

The association asked for the appointment of a commission with power and authority to summon witnesses, administer oaths and take evidence, to the end that the truth may be known.

High Weighed to 120 Pounds.

Mrs. Reid yesterday said that her husband's illness had decreased his weight to 130 pounds. He is 6 feet 2 inches tall.

Mrs. Reid said her husband's breakdown, which came about six weeks ago, was, she believed, due to habits "peculiarly dangerous to one of Wallace's high-strung temperament."

Wallace always drank to some extent, she said, and about two weeks ago began to use drugs. He was very ill at that time but there was a great deal of work at his studio and he felt he must keep up somehow, and he resorted to the artificial means which have so nearly been his undoing.

"Any talk of his having been suspected with a dope ring is absolutely absurd and untrue. Nor did he frequent 'dope parties.' I think he did go to one or two such affairs, but he found them distasteful and never took back. He liked a lively time and cheerful companionship and whatever he did was done openly."

"Up to the time of his breakdown he believed he had full control of himself. He was making a picture when the collapse came. He was advised at the studio to take a rest and went under treatment. I am satisfied that he has won the fight against the influenza which brought about his trouble and it only remains to overcome the complications which have set in because of his weakened condition."

The actor's contract with the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation has two years to run, Mrs. Reid said. He expects to return to work at the corporation's studio, she added.

14 PERSONS RESCUED FROM WRECKED TUG AFTER FIVE DAYS

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Bicycle Scooters: attractively painted \$1.00 value

Junior Folding Tea Table: hand decorated in maroon finish \$4.50

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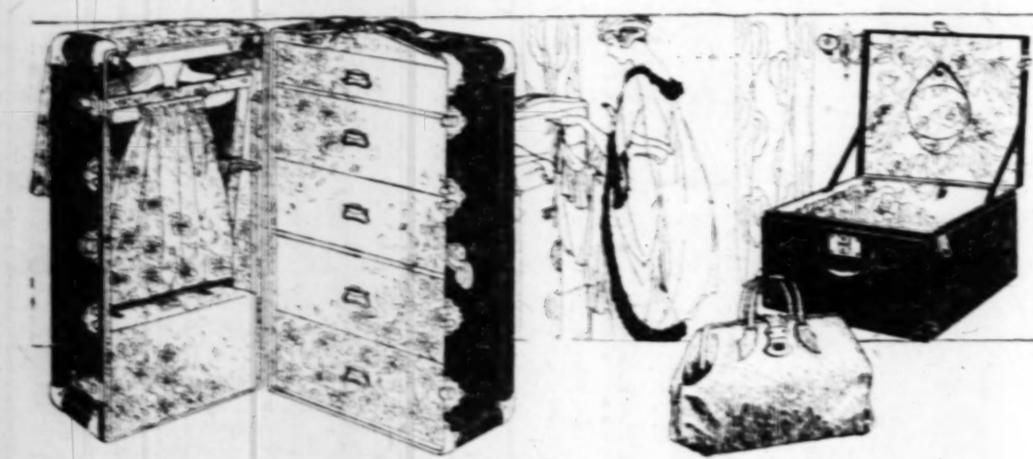
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Toy Shop—Basement.

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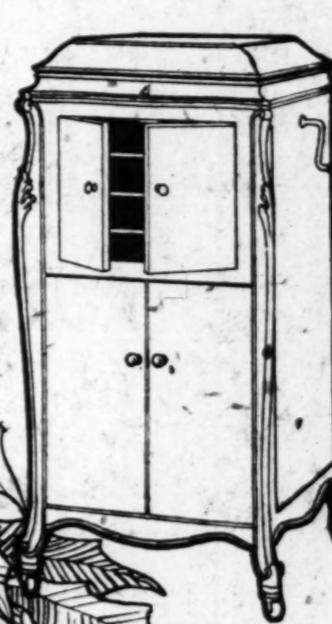
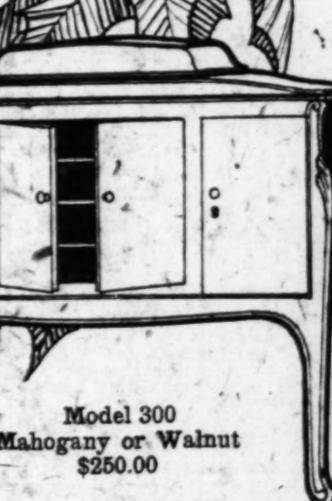
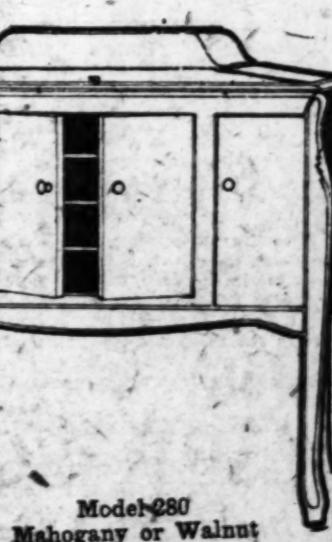
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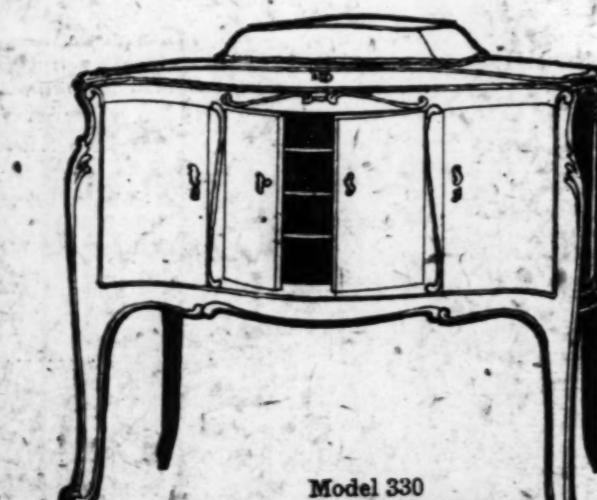
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POLICE SAY 2 YOUTHS ADMIT WRECKING TRAIN

Pair Assert They Had Planned to
Rob Mail Car of St. Joseph to
St. Louis Burlington Train.

By the Associated Press.
ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 19.—Alvin Marion Clark of Weston, Mo., and William Kramer, no address, each 19 years old, were arrested yesterday and confessed, according to police, that they wrecked a Burlington passenger train east of Weston, Mo., last Tuesday night. The train, No. 16, St. Joseph to St. Louis, was derailed when a rail was removed and seven coaches and the engine left the track. Only two persons were slightly injured.

The boys planned to rush in after the derailment and rob the mail car, they said. They expected that the engineer, fireman and the trainmen would be killed or badly hurt and that they would meet with no opposition. When this failed to materialize, they ran away, they said, walking to St. Joseph, where they have been since.

Clark and Kramer met at Green-River, Wyo., where Clark had gone three months ago, when the police were looking for him in connection with the holdup. They planned to rob the Union Pacific train out there, they said, but the cold weather caused them to come here. They had been here only two days when they wrecked the train. With tools stolen from a hand car house near the scene of the wreck they removed the rail and then waited for the crash.

Clark also confessed that he tried to wreck a train in the same spot June 11 this year, but had only loosened the spikes and the train passed over the rail safely. The loose rail was found next day.

The United States Marshal at Kansas City is understood to have a warrant for Clark, charging transportation of a stolen automobile.

**TWO SCOTT FIELD AIRSHIPS
FLY TO SPRINGFIELD, ILL.**

Round Trip of 225 Miles, Without
Stop. Made in Four Hours and
35 Minutes.

The A-4 and the Mullion, two large airships in service at Scott Field, made a 225-mile nonstop flight to Springfield, Ill., and return Saturday. The purpose was to train pilots and to stimulate popular interest in recruiting for the air service.

The big gas bags took four hours and 15 minutes to fill, and required half an hour circling around the dome of the State Capitol at Springfield and flying over the city. The start was made at 11 a.m. Railroad tracks were followed on the trip. It took two hours to reach Springfield, nearly 100 miles north of Scott Field.

The A-4 was piloted by Lieut. O. A. Anderson, with two officers as passengers and a crew of two. The Mullion was piloted by Lieut. Frank M. McKee, with three officers as passengers and a private for engineer.

**SOVIETS EXPECTED TO DEPORT
AMERICAN WOMAN WRITER**

Mrs. Marguerite Harrison Said to
Have Been Taken for Entertain-
ing Russia.

(Copyright, 1922.)

MOSCOW, Dec. 19.—Mrs. Marguerite Harrison, American magazine writer, again in custody of soviet authorities, soon will be brought to Moscow and deported after questioning, according to the latest information here.

The formal charge is that when released from her first imprisonment she promised not to enter Russia again, and her going to Chita, now officially part of Russia, violated this promise.

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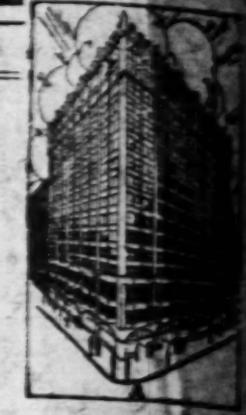


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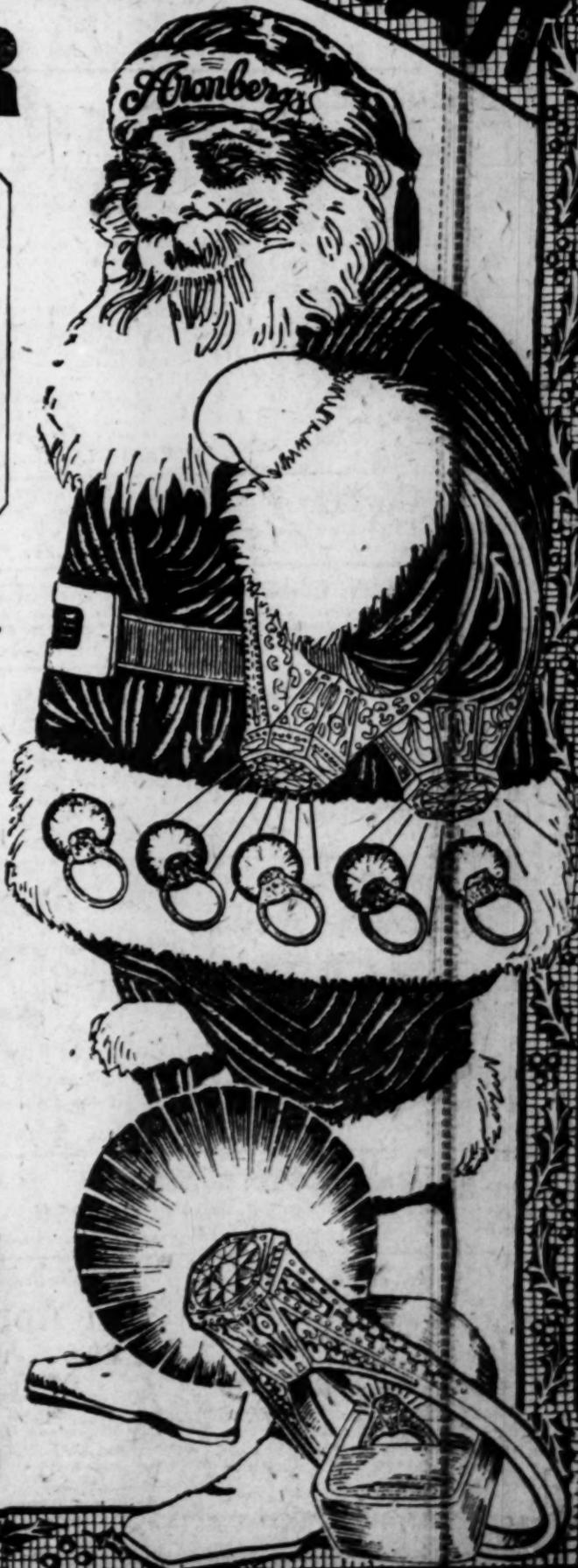
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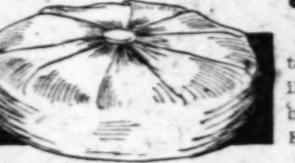
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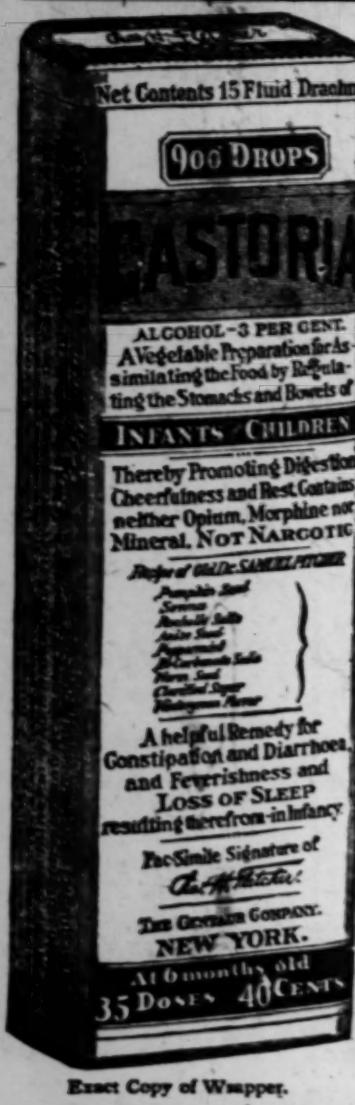
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nance be suspended for the two Sun-
days preceding, respectively, Christ-
mas and New Year's. The Board of
Aldermen passed the resolution, re-
ferring it to Chief of Police O'Brien.

Hearing this, the Church Federa-
tion and the Presbyterian Ministers'
Association, which do not want the
Police Department to lift the Sun-
day closing law, especially not at what
they consider a violation of the Sabbath
day, yesterday passed resolutions de-
nouncing the proposal.

Chief O'Brien, knowing that the
request of the Board of Aldermen
was not legal, promptly passed it on
to the City Counselor for a ruling.

The City Counselor said today
that he could not rule on the request
as the legality of the ordinance had
not been attacked. He had nothing to
do with "official whisks."

He was told by the Board of Police Com-
missioners.

President Brockman of the Board,
after listening to the case, promptly
declared: "This is a matter for
Chief O'Brien to decide."

No One Will Make Decision.

The Chief, when appealed to, was
adamant. "I get the ruling from the City
Counselor." And City Counselor
Haid responded in substance to the effect that the Chief
of Police never would get a ruling.
The Chief shot to no avail for
the ruling. He has done his official
duty in springing such a request. The
City Counselor has done his official
duty in declining to consider the
matter and President Brockman has
done his official duty, too.

The reasons advanced for the sus-
pension of Sunday-closing rules as
applied to grocery and other provi-
sion stores were that many persons
would be deprived of Christmas
cheer owing to the great number of
belated purchases always made, and
that the storekeepers could do on
Sunday the business they expected to
do on Monday and thus have the
holiday with their families.

WOMAN FEARING RETALIATION
DELAYS REPORTING ROBBERY

Mrs. Videa Johnson, Slugged and
Robbed of \$24 Friday, Afraid
Because Her Cards Were in Bag.

Mrs. Videa Johnson, 29, of 2793A
Minnesota avenue, last night reported
to police that she was slugged and
robbed of her vanity bag containing
\$24—last Friday night, but
had been afraid to inform police of
the robbery because her visiting
cards with her address were in the
bag and she feared retaliation by the
robber.

She related that when she and her
nieces, Vaille West, alighted from a
street car Friday night at Minnesota
and Chippewa street, Miss West ran
ahead. As Mrs. Johnson passed an
alley on Minnesota, she was struck
on the forehead and stunned and the
bag was taken. Miss West found her
lying on the sidewalk when she went
back to see what had happened. Mrs.
Johnson is still in bed from the ef-
fects of the blow.

NEGRO SLAYER OF POLICEMAN
SENTENCED TO HANG JAN. 31

Attorneys for Spencer Jordan An-
nounce Case Will BeAppealed
to Supreme Court.

Spencer Jordan, negro slayer of
Patrolman Michael J. Finn, today
was formally sentenced to hang Jan.
31. Immediately after sentence had
been announced by Circuit Judge
Killoren, counsel for Jordan filed
notice that the case would be ap-
pealed to the State Supreme Court.

Jordan shot and killed Finn when
he and other policemen attempted to
arrest Jordan and another negro,
Henry Page, at White and Olive
streets, St. Louis, May 22, 1921. The
policemen were not in uniform but
were followed closely by a police
Lieutenant who was in uniform.

Jordan fled after the shooting, but
was arrested later in New Orleans.
He was convicted of murder by a
jury April 26, 1922, and his punish-
ment fixed by the jury at death on
the scaffold. Page is serving a 10-
year sentence for robbery, having
admitted that he and Jordan, previous-
ly, to the slaying of Patrolman
Finn, had participated in numerous
heists.

NEW CURB ON RUM RUNNERS

Canada Puts Restrictions on Trans-
fer of Shipping Registrars

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 12.—For-
mal notification has been given in a
note presented to the State Department
by Sir Auckland Geddes, British
Ambassador, and made public
today that the Canadian Govern-
ment has issued instructions to its
registrars of shipping by which it is
hoped to restrict smuggling of liquor into
the United States through
fraudulent transfer of American ves-
sels to British registry.

Under the new instructions the
note sets forth, as application to
register a vessel in Canada which
has been purchased from a citizen of the
United States, "unless sup-
ported by a certificate under the seal
of the Shipping Board authorizing
such a transfer, must be forwarded
to the competent department of the
Canadian Government for instructions
before any definite steps are
taken."

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Exhausted Capital Given as Reason for Failure of Kansas City Brokerage Firm.

By the Associated Press.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 13.—Judge Van Valkenburgh appointed Thomas H. Reynolds of the local law firm of Lathrop, Morrow, Fox & Moore, receiver of Houston, Fible & Co. last night, "to conserve all the assets of the firm for all the creditors." This was done to forestall possible attempts to throw the firm into bankruptcy. It was announced.

Exhausted capital for some reason that has been made public, was declared to be responsible for the assignment yesterday of the company which is considered to be the largest brokerage concern west of the Mississippi River.

The failure was announced to be the result of a demand of \$800,000 on the firm by the New York Stock Exchange.

The receiver said that he had no additional information concerning the firm's affairs. Reynolds asserted that he could obtain a complete statement of the condition of the concern, but he would not give out information.

Many wealthy oil men in Kansas and Oklahoma were customers of the firm, in which William R. Houston and W. M. Fible had the only direct interest. A large number of oil men have telegraphed that they will be in Kansas City to see what can be done.

Persons said that he was familiar with the details of the company's business, declared that it did not owe a dollar to banks or business associates of its members and that the failure resulted when the New York Stock Exchange discovered that the firm's active capital was not equal to the requisite 10 per cent of its volume of business.

William R. Houston, member of the firm, is expected to arrive to-day or Wednesday from New York. He is coming to Kansas City via Chicago.

Lower Rate on Fertilizer Sought.

COLUMBIA, Mo., Dec. 19.—Prof. M. F. Miller and Prof. F. F. Schowengerdt, extension specialists of the State Agricultural College, will appear before the Public Service Commission in Jefferson City Wednesday, Dec. 29, to present arguments favoring the reduction of fertilizer rates on crushed limestone, a soil fertilizer. This reduction will be urged in furtherance of the College of Agriculture's three-year crop rotation program in which the limestone as a fertilizer is of vital interest to the farmers of the State.

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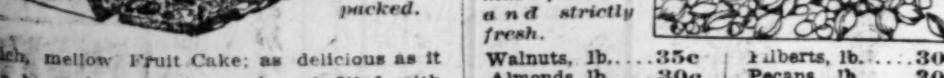
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School, in O'Fallon Park.

Trees in Forest Park and Shaw's
Garden and on Brown road, St. Louis
County, will also be decorated in the
next day or two by children of Mary
Institute, Bryan Mulanphy School,
Community School and Country
Day School. The fete, directed by
the junior department of the St.
Louis City Club, is inaugurated
the annual custom in 1919.

The decorations will be immensely
practical from the birds' point of
view—grain, popcorn, bits of suet,
nuts—all the delicacies they prefer.
There will be no ornaments of tinsel,
candles, dolls that say "mama" or
real swords.

Persons who are acquainted in
the best bird circles, like Dr. Robert J.
Terry, president of the Bird Club,
say that the feast will last several
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15-Pound Possum for Harding.

—The Associated Press.
OKMULGEE, Ok., Dec. 19.—Gabe
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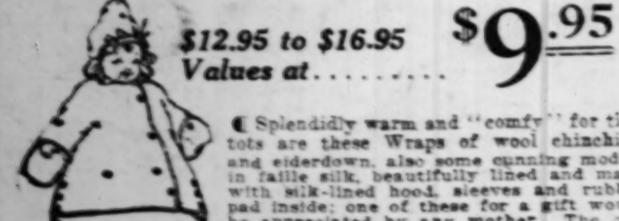
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Values at.....
Splendidly warm and "comfy" for tiny tots are these Wraps of wool chinchilla and siberdown, also soft mink and mohair in fabric, all double-lined and made with silk-lined hood sleeves and rubber pad inside; one of these for a gift would be appreciated by any mother. The wrap is suitable for infants and tots up to 2 years old.

Infants' \$1.25 Socks
2½ years; in white, pink and baby blue. 89¢
Special values at.....

Sweater Sets
\$3.50 Value, \$2.95

Three-piece Sets consisting of sweater, cap and leggings or booties in link and link stitch; made of all-wool yarn; white, trimmed in blue and pink.

Third Floor

Silk Underwear

Tokens Which Will Delight "Her"
\$9.95 to \$16.95

Gowns, two-piece sets and chemises of excellent crepe satin or soft sodium silk, with lace inserts and beautifully fashioned.

Many garments are handmade and trimmed with real Filet and Baby Irish lace.

Third Floor

\$3.00 Black Satin

Specially Priced
Wednesday, at Yd... **\$2.50**

Soft lustrous Satin Charmeuse, forty inches wide, a stylish, splendid wearing dress silk.

\$2.25 Taffeta

Splendid quality of bright soft Chiffon Taffeta in street and evening shades; **\$1.98**

Wednesday, special at **\$2.19**

Third Floor

Wednesday—1400 Women's Glove Silk Vests

Special **\$1.95**
at.....

Well made, all-silk Vests, plain tailored, bodice top style. Good length. May be had in sizes 36 to 42.

\$2.45

Sports Silk Bloomers
From leading makers in
black and colors. Priced from
\$2.95 to \$6.50.

Third Floor



Selected Styles in Cemetery Wreaths

**\$3.50 Values at
\$2.79**

Made of artificial foliage, pine cones and cypress leaves in various mounting styles; also some wreaths of magnolia leaves and clusters.

Wax Roses

Artistic reproductions that are very real looking and make a suitable decoration for use in cemetery vases; special values per dozen. **\$1.50**

Basement Floral Shop

Main Floor

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St. Louis' Foremost Christmas Store

FAMOUS-BARR CO.

We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Full Books for \$2 in Cash
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Until
Christmas:
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6 P. M.



To Those Remaining on Your Christmas List

Give Our Gift Certificates

—and Let Recipients Choose Just
the Things They Most Desire

One of the very best solutions to your last-minute shopping is our Gift Certificates. And what could please your friends more than to enable them to select from our vast and varied assortments the articles they prefer?

Obtain these gift certificates at any Exchange Desk—they will be issued for any sum and are redeemable to their full extent for any merchandise in this store.



Men's Slippers

\$2.90

High-quality kid or tan leather black with turned soles and rubber at sides. Second Floor

Men and Young Men Should Prepare for the Holidays by Choosing From These

Overcoat "Specials"

New and Smart Models in Three Extensive Groups, at

\$33 \$38 \$42

Remarkable selection is in these groups—the newest Ulsters and Ulsterettes, with raglan or kimono sleeves; some with full belt, others with half belt and all tailored of excellent overcoat fabrics; choice of brown, tan, olive, gray, Oxford or black; many models with plaid backs. All sizes for men and young men.

Other Excellent Values in Winter Overcoats
for Men and Young Men, at \$25, \$30 to \$65

Fur Collars

—to Button on Any Coat

\$8.75 to \$42.50

Detachable collars of plucked beaver, nutria, Hudson seal (dyed muskrat) and electric seal—made to button on any type of coat.

Silk Dress Vests

—for full dress or Tuxedo suits; white figured or black effects; all sizes, prices

\$5.75 \$12.50

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Handsome garments of two-tone and fancy back fabrics, velvets and broadcloth; silk many patterns and shades, some garments silk lined. Sizes 34 to 52.

\$5.95 to \$34.50

Fancy Knit Vests

Camel's hair, leather, mixtures, plain brown and gray

Vests; sizes 34 to 46; exceptional values

\$5.75

Other Gift Articles

Golf Suits \$20 to \$35

Golf Knickers \$6.50 to \$12.50

Mackinaw Coats \$6.75 to \$16.75

Second Floor



A Remarkable Offering of 240 Strands of La Tausca Pearls

—Termed "Seconds," but Ideal for Gifts

Beautiful indestructible La Tausca Pearls, termed "seconds" because of very slight irregularities; in regular and abrupt graduation; some lots limited, every strand in gift box with La Tausca tag.

Seconds of \$14.50

Grade

\$4.95

Second of \$25

Grade

\$7.95

Seconds of \$22.50

Grade

\$6.95

18-inch strands of Sumatra La Tausca Pearls; choice of soft gold, white gold, and white gold, diamond-set clasp.	18-inch strands of Sumatra La Tausca pearls; white gold class set with diamonds of splendid quality.	18-inch strands of Sumatra La Tausca pearls; white gold class set with diamonds of splendid quality.
Seconds of \$27.50	Seconds of \$10.95	Seconds of \$10.95
Seconds of \$32.50	Seconds of \$12.95	Seconds of \$12.95
Seconds of \$37.50	Seconds of \$19.95	Seconds of \$19.95
Seconds of \$50.00	Seconds of \$22.95	Seconds of \$22.95
Seconds of \$55.00	Seconds of \$27.95	Seconds of \$27.95
Seconds of \$70.00	Seconds of \$32.95	Seconds of \$32.95
50 strands of La Tausca Pearls of different kinds; each	50 strands of La Tausca Pearls of different kinds; each	50 strands of La Tausca Pearls of different kinds; each

Main Floor

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Long Kid Gloves

\$4.95 to \$5.95

Women's Kid Gloves of superior quality, elbow-length; shown in the new browns and beige shades as well as the ever-dreamy white.

Glove Certificates

May be obtained in any desired amount and make ever-welcome gifts; insuring satisfaction to the recipient who may gratify individual taste by selection from our extensive lines.

Main Floor



Women's Handkerchiefs

In Gift Boxes
At \$1, \$1.50 and \$2

Women's Handkerchiefs of linen and batiste, daintily embroidered in the newest designs; made with 1½ or 2½ inch hems.

Women's 25c and 35c Handkerchiefs

Sheer Linen Handkerchiefs with embroidered corners and Handkerchiefs of batiste in white and novelty colored effects. Each 15c; 6 for \$1.

Men's Handkerchiefs

Made of excellent quality imported Linen with initial neatly embroidered in the long-letter style. Packed in holiday box. Each 35c, 50c, 75c.

Men's Handkerchiefs

Our own importation from Ireland and France. Superb quality, full size and extra size, with 1½ or 2½ inch hem. Each 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c. The each-6 for \$2.50. The each-6 for \$4.00. Main Floor

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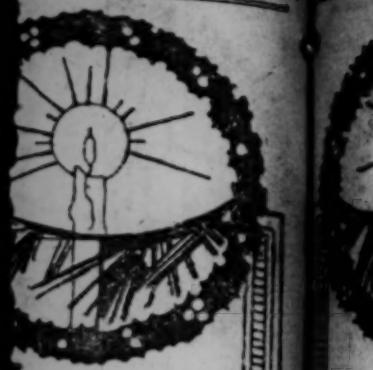
Novelty Suits
At \$10

Tafted of Jersey, blue and corduroy; in Oliver Twist and middy styles. All sizes 3 to 8 years.

Overcoats
At \$14

For the small boys of 2½ to 5 years; of plain and fancy woolen materials in various colors. Fancy body lining.

Second Floor



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Days
Until
Christmas

Select Now From These Specially Priced Groups of TOYS, DOLLS AND GAMES



Offered Wednesday—While Quantities Last

Velocipedes
Strongly made, with rubber-tired wheels.
\$13.50 value at \$10.50
\$16.50 value at \$13.50
\$15.50 value at \$12.00
\$18.95 value at \$14.95

Mama Dolls
Mama Dolls that walk, composition head, arms and legs, dressed in various styles; cap to match; shoes; stockings.
\$4.49

Roly Polys
Roly Polys, in assorted figures and colors.
45c value at .29c
.85c value at .65c
\$1.45 value at .95c
\$1.95 value at \$1.25

Phonographs
Cabinet style, mahogany finish; play records up to ten inches.
\$5.95

Tool Chests
Gilbert's Tool Chests, complete with tools, in strong wood case; at .
\$1.75

Radio Sets
Gilbert's complete radio Receiving Set, with head phones, \$6.95



Rubber Balls

Colored Rubber Balls:
10c value at .14c
.25c value at .19c
.30c value at .22c
.50c value at .39c
.75c value at .59c
.90c value at .75c

\$3.95 Jointed Dolls

Jointed Dolls, 22 inches high, bisque head, moving eyes with lashes and curled sewed wig, shoes and stockings; at \$1.98
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Metal Tea Sets

Metal Tea Sets, lithographed, with tray.
.39c value at .29c
\$1 value at .69c
\$1.25 value at .89c
\$2.00 value at \$1.45
\$1.50 value at \$1.19
\$2.50 value at \$1.95

\$7.95 Teeter Go-Round

Teeter Go-Round, and Sce-Saw Combination, steel made.
\$3.79

\$5 Wheel Toys

Gilbert's Wheel Steel Construction Toys, at .
\$3.25

\$5 Sidewalk Cars

Hot-Skip Sidewalk Cars, with steel frame, rubber-tired wheels, with steering heads; at \$2.95

Basement Gallery

\$1.95

In Time for the Holidays—Special Values in 100-Piece Dinner Sets

\$45 Value at \$32.50

Handsome and artistic Sets of very light weight semi-porcelain ware, in blue willow pattern, modeled in the popular English shape and complete with bread and butter plates.

25 Dinner Sets
10 pieces of American semi-porcelain ware—fancy shape; decorated in white and gold \$19.75

250 Dinner Sets
Mayland & Co. 100-piece Derby shape, with gold band design \$139

10 to 12 Cereal Sets
Imported china Cereal Sets, in attractive square shape; choice of several styles of decoration \$7.50

French Bronze Statues
\$10 to \$14 Pieces, at \$7.50 Pieces, at \$15

Choice of many attractive styles and subjects, in French bronze of high-grade workmanship—distinctive gifts that will be welcomed in any home.
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Fifth Floor

Italian Marble Statues \$45 to \$60 \$32 Pieces, at \$65

Offered, in two specially-priced groups, these artistic and decorative Statues will be welcome gifts—all are the handwork of skilled Italian sculptors.

Men's

Accessories

Importation from France and England, extra size, extra inch, \$2.00 for \$1.75, \$4.00 for \$3.50 Main Floor

Briar Pipes \$4.95 to \$20.50

Cigar and Cigarette Holders \$2.50 to \$6

Others, including Dunhills, Simeone, Comoy's, etc., are priced .35c to \$2.50 Main Floor

Meerschaum Pipes \$4.95 to \$20.50

Specialty Importation from France and England, extra size, extra inch, \$2.00 for \$1.75, \$4.00 for \$3.50 Main Floor

Choose Gifts for "Him" From This Group of Smokers' Articles

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Bicycles \$37.50 Value for \$27.50

Well made, with 20-inch double-bar arch frames; of seamless steel tubing. Enamelled finish, with mudguards to match. Splendidly equipped with coaster brake and guaranteed tires.

Nonpareil Platforms \$4.95

Wall type, strongly built and practically noiseless; easy to put up, each. \$4.95

22-Caliber Rifles \$7 Auto Robes

Double texture plush robes, neat pattern on one side, black on the other. Special at \$3.75

Soccer Footballs \$2.75

Pear-shaped Striking Bags \$3.50

Boxing Gloves, good grade, set of 4. \$5.00

Ball-bearing Roller Skates \$1.45

Give Skates for Gifts \$1.35

Hockey: for men and boys. \$1.35

Men's and Boys' Nickel-Plated Hockeys. \$1.75

Nickel-Plated Hockeys; for women and girls. \$2.25

Black Leather Skating Shoes. \$5.00

Arco Tubular Hockey and Racing Skates. \$7.95

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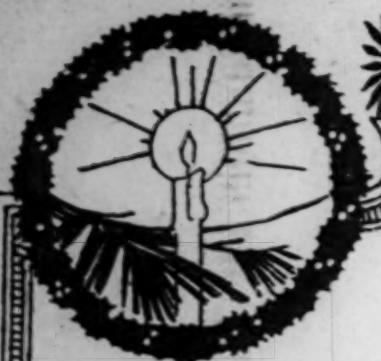
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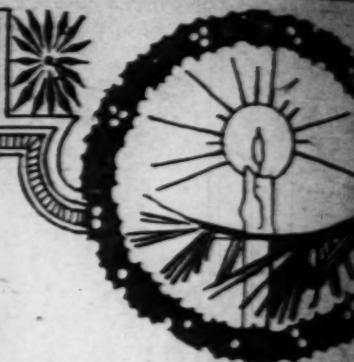
For Holiday Decorations— Fringed Curtains



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Famous-Barr Co.—St. Louis' Foremost Christmas Store

**A Most Unusual Combination Offer—Fifteen Records
of Your Own Selection and This Very**

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PART TWO.

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Chairman Werremeyer announced
campaign headquarters had been
opened on the mezzanine floor of
Arcade Building, fronting on 14th
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information bureau is being maintained
there. Charles F. Hart
member of the Executive Committee
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to assure the success of the bond
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had authorized the use of
school building for bond issue meetings.
This was done, he said, because
the bond issue is not a political
matter but one of civic development.
Education of the voter
the necessity and civic value of
proposed improvements would
the bond program over, he said.All Voters Eligible.
Attention was called to statement
made in some quarters that only
voters would be eligible to vote
the special bond election. All
voters in the city will be
to vote on the bond proposal.
A special registration will be
in advance of the election to prevent
registration of those not now on
election books or who have moved
since last registering.Support of the St. Louis Medical
Society, with a membership of
physicians, was pledged by Dr.
W. G. Grimes, president. One-third
the bond program, he said, will be
with public health. The other
third also deal with public
and welfare, he said, "for anything
makes a better city makes a
healthier city."The chairman told the delegation
Executive Committee of
Council would recommend to
effort that some of the bonds
authorized, be issued in denominations
as low as \$50 and \$100, to
make their purchase by persons
small means. This was based on
request by Manufacturers' Council
of the Building Trades Council.
The suggestion was made by Council
that persons holding bonds of
any would be more interested
municipal affairs.Building Trades for Issue.
Candy spoke briefly, pledging
support of the Building Trades
Council in the campaign.
Plans to fully explain the
propose to fully explain the
bond issue arrangements by
were presented by Mrs. J. S. Peacock,
president of the Federated Women

Extraordinary Value in Console Phonographs

It Is, in Fact, the Greatest Value That We Ever Offered in Phonographs of this Highly Artistic Type

Phonograph and Fifteen 10-Inch Black Label Double
Records of Your Own Choosing at the Very Special Price of**\$100**

Terms: \$1.00 Weekly

Hear one or more of your favorite selections played on this Phonograph and you will instantly appreciate its value—its beauty and depth of tone will please you quite as much as the beauty of its graceful design and then will you marvel at the opportunity of securing it with a collection of records at our special price of \$100.

Our good fortune in obtaining these high-grade instruments at a price concession gives you an opportunity which you should not allow to pass if you contemplate the purchase of a pleasure-giving gift for the family's Christmas remembrance.

Terms of Easy Payment
\$1.00 Weekly

—make these Phonographs easy to acquire and remember that they are guaranteed by the maker and Famous-Barr Co.



New Console Model With Center Opening

Make Your Selection Tomorrow
and the Family Will Certainly
Have a Merry Christmas

Your Choice of Fifteen 10-Inch Black Label Double
Records With This Phonograph at the Surprising Price of**\$100**

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Note particularly that this Console Phonograph in Queen Anne style has the center opening which permits the placing of candlesticks or other decorative pieces on each side. And very important is the fact that it is a genuine Phonograph—specially designed and built—and not a piece of furniture converted into a musical instrument.

They are 37 inches high, 40 inches long and 22 inches wide, equipped with a large, powerful, silent-running motor, plush-covered turntable, heavily gold-plated metal parts and have space for filing 100 records. Built by one of America's largest Phonograph manufacturers and will play all makes of records.

Your Choice of Records

—in the collection of fifteen 10-inch Black Label Double Records that is included with this Console Phonograph—surely a Christmas Gift that will give great joy.

We Also Offer a Remarkable Value in Upright Phonographs

With Your Own Selection of Ten 10-Inch Black Label Double Records for

\$5750

Terms: \$1.00 Weekly

With this beautiful instrument and ten double records available at such a moderate price, it seems that every home should be made merry with music—and the world's best is at your command, for the most renowned artists make phonograph records, and on this instrument you may play any of them, regardless of their make.

Large cabinet models, beautifully designed and finished, with a tone that is very pleasing, and guaranteed by the maker and Famous-Barr Co.

A small cash payment will place one of these Phonographs and ten 10-inch Black Label Double Records in your home for Christmas.



Store Hours
Until Christmas:
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A Delightful Gift Would Be One of These

Baby Grand Pianos

Which We Offer at the
Very Special Price of**\$595**

Terms as Low as \$10 Monthly

The gift of a Baby Grand Piano is probably desired by all who do not already own one, for little can impart dignity to the home like this handsome instrument.

Baby Grand Pianos of excellent quality are the ones we offer at this special price, representing a substantial saving. Pianos with rich tone and easy action; and of a size ideally suited to the modern home.

With such low terms as we offer you may secure one of these high-grade Pianos very easily.



Music Room—Sixth Floor

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PART TWO.

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Overcoming Apathy of Average Citizen on Municipal Affairs Regarded as Chief Task.

PERSONAL WORK
AMONG VOTERS URGED

Representatives of About 60 Civic Organizations at Meeting—Vesper Warns Against Overconfidence.

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Policy for the Development of Aeronautics as National Asset in Both Peace and War Urged

Relative Importance in War Alone Declared to Justify the Expenditure of Public Funds.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Col. Harold E. Hartney, general manager of the National Aeronautic Association of U. S. A. in an interview yesterday, stated that: "Our association stands squarely behind President Harding's endorsement of the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics' plea for the fostering of aeronautical development in this country."

One of the prime purposes of this association is to get firmly and actively behind all measures tending to place America in a preferred position with respect to the development of air navigation, both for national defense and for the betterment of commercial transportation throughout the country.

"When the President forwarded to the National Aeronautical Association to Congress," continued Col. Hartney, "we made the following statement:

"The constructive recommendations therein contained for the advancement of aeronautics deserve the thoughtful consideration of all members of Congress."

America in Front. "And when Dr. Charles D. Walcott, chairman of the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, presented the National Aeronautical policy together with the eighth annual report of the committee to the President, he pointed out that the contributions of the committee to the American in the forefront of aeronautics has placed America in the front rank of progressive nations in aerial navigation."

With the help of well-directed scientific research, with the imagination of the people fully aroused, and with comprehensive, helpful legislation, aeronautics will yield, in peaceful pursuits, its real contribution to the progress of civilization.

Scientific research and aeronautics is said to be the most important subject in the field of aerial navigation development; the army and navy services depend upon the work of the committee for the solution of the more difficult problems in the fundamental art of flight, which is the prescribed function of the committee.

The urgent need for ample funds and facilities with which to complete the execution of a research program already approved, is explained.

Regulation Urged. "Federal regulation of aviation with state co-operation is urged by the committee, which also recommends the creation by law of a bureau of civil aeronautics under the Department of Commerce.

Although public sentiment seems to be urging the reduction of the Army and Navy to a pre-war basis, it is the judgment of the committee that the public does not demand that the air services of those arms be so reduced nor even that they be reduced proportionately with the other branches of the Army and Navy. The novelty of aerial warfare, the lack of civil aviation activities from which to draw in time of need, the rapid development of aeronautics in other countries, and the necessity for aviation in national defense have led the people to support a policy of progress and development in aeronautical branches of both Army and Navy, however much they may insist upon curtailment of other military expenditures. It is claimed.

Lord Curzon said that, upon the judgment of all the experts the allied Powers were compelled to deny the Turkish request for the right to send a garrison of 5000 men on the Gallipoli peninsula for the defense of the shores of the Aegean Sea. "The allies must," he added, "deny the Turkish request that the Sea of Marmara be considered a separate body of water not connected with the straits and thus exempt from the demilitarization plans."

Religious Liberty Provision. Calling attention to the fact that the development of world transportation by rail and road has made largely on a general basis, Dr. Walcott states that aircraft will prove even more revolutionary than railroad and automobile development. "In the opinion of the National Advisory Committee on Aeronautics," he explains, "it is necessary and proper that the Federal Government should aid in the development of air navigation by providing Federal regulations and establishing airways and landing fields."

Policy Is Outlined. A policy for the development of aeronautics as a national asset beneficial in time of peace as well as in time of war is outlined by the Walcott's report. The relative importance of aviation in war alone is said to be of sufficient importance to justify the expenditure of public funds to aid the development of aerial navigation on a commercial basis.

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Aerological Service Necessary. The development of aerological service along trans-continental airways is then established, and the schools of the Christian minorities shall be allotted funds from the municipal budgets. It is stipulated that as the members of all the minorities are regarded as Turkish subjects, there can be no exemption from military service.

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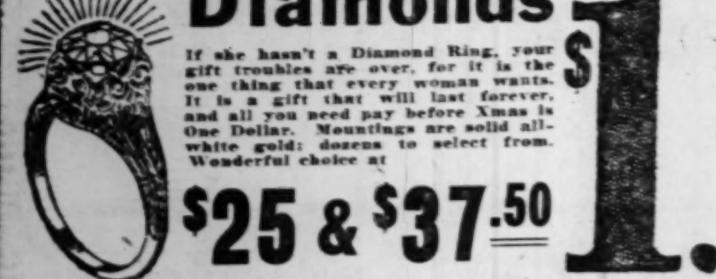
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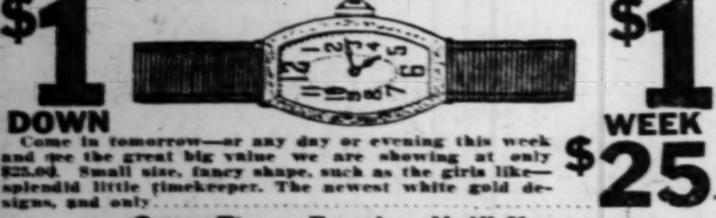
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MOUNT HOLLY, N. J., Dec. 19.—
Mrs. Doris Brunen and her brother,
Harry C. Mohr, charged with the
killing of "Honest" John T. Brunen,
circus owner, denied on the witness
stand yesterday that they had any
part in the slaying of the showman.Charles M. Powell, confessed slay-
er, testified last week that he had
shot Brunen as he sat in the driver's
seat of his car, Riverside, N. J., on
March 18, at the instigation of Mrs.
Brunen and Mohr.Sobbing convulsively, Mrs. Brunen
said: "I have never in my life talked
about killing my husband. I loved
him."Mohr, who preceded the show-
man's widow on the stand, made an
emphatic denial of every allegation
of Powell and the other witnesses for
the prosecution involving him in the
shooting."I never urged, hired or suggested
to Powell that he kill Brunen, and I
never promised him money to kill
him," he declared.When the trial reopened yesterday
counsel for the defense asked the
Court to dismiss the case against
Mrs. Brunen on the ground that the
State had failed to prove her either a
principal or an accomplice of the
crime. Justice Kallisch ruled that al-
though the testimony against Mrs.
Brunen was scant, it was the jury's
duty to pass upon her innocence or
guilt.ESPISCOPAL BISHOP GIVES IDEAS
OF CONDUCT FOR A MINISTER"Many Persons Smoke Too Much
and Read Too Many Novels" Is
Against "Pulling Door Bells."BOSTON, Dec. 19.—Bishop Coad-
jutor, Secretary of the Episcopal diocese
of Massachusetts, addressing an
assembly of Congregational ministers
yesterday, outlined his ideas of how
a minister should spend his time."Many parsons smoke too much
and read too many story books," he
said, and while he did not oppose
either, "it should be remembered
that the place for a novel is not in
a study."A pastor should be studying all
the time, the Bishop said."One way to force yourself to
study is to take class; another is to
write a sermon," he added.Bishop Stetson said he did not
hold with those clergymen who re-
fer to pastoral calls as "pulling door
bells," and "drinking tea," but in-
stead urged clergymen to make calls.

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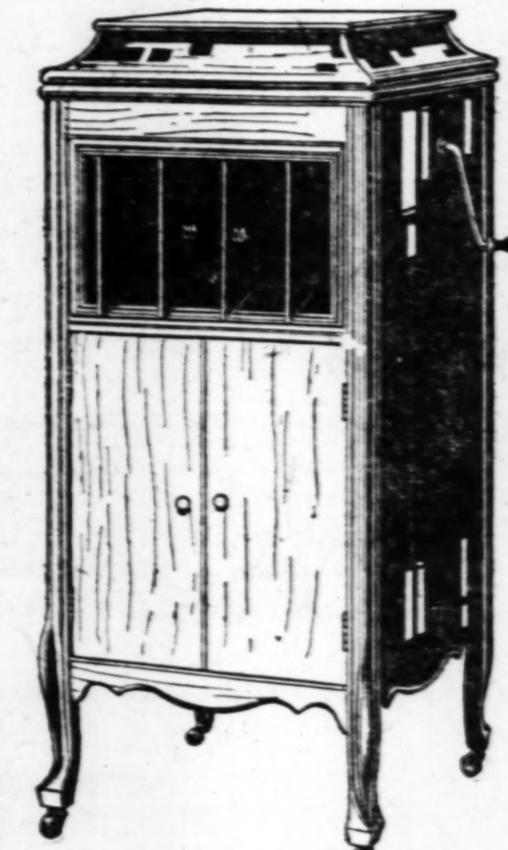
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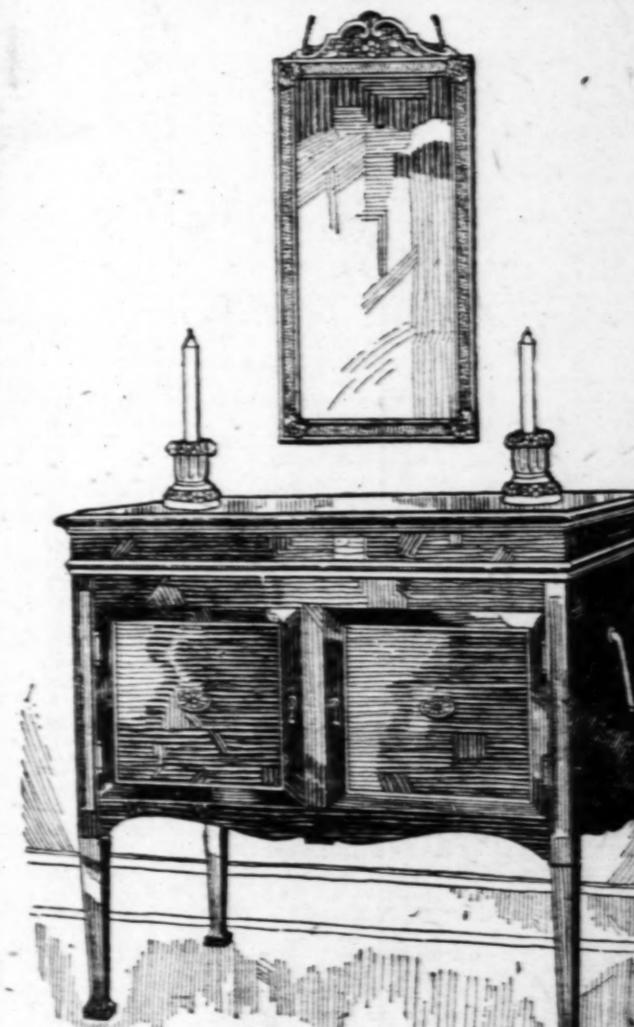
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ACCIDENT INQUEST POSTPONED PENDING INQUIRY BY POLICE

DEATH TERMED ACCIDENT

Coroner's Verdict in Case of Man Hit by Auto in 1921.

A coroner's inquest into the case of two men killed Sunday afternoon in a collision between an automobile and a street car in front of 3230 Market street, was continued until tomorrow to give the police homicide squad opportunity to investigate.

The men killed were Lawrence B. Ryan, 36 years old, of 3039 Washington, a real estate dealer, who drove the automobile, and Nathan Knight, 38, of 18 North Ewing avenue, a negro. Two other negroes, George Lewis of 3115 Laclede avenue, and Sam Dilworth of 3191 Laclede avenue, also occupants of the automobile, were seriously injured.

Although four policemen attended the inquest today, they failed to produce any testimony, explaining that they were too busy calling ambulances to get interviews with witnesses.

The motorman, Ernest Burch, was not found, but the Lieutenant at the Laclede Avenue Police Station, to whom he made a statement concerning the accident, did not appear at the Coroner's office. The two survivors of the accident were unable, on account of their injuries, to leave their homes. Motorman Burch had told the Police Lieutenant that he had brought his car to a standstill when Ryan drove his automobile head-on into it.

Stages of the Rivers.

Pittsburg, 12, rise 1.1; Cincinnati, 22.1, rise 7.3; Louisville, 3.6, rise 1.1; St. Louis minus 1.8, fall 6; Cairo, 19.4, rise 3; Vicksburg, 11.5, rise 2.1; New Orleans, 5.3, rise 6.

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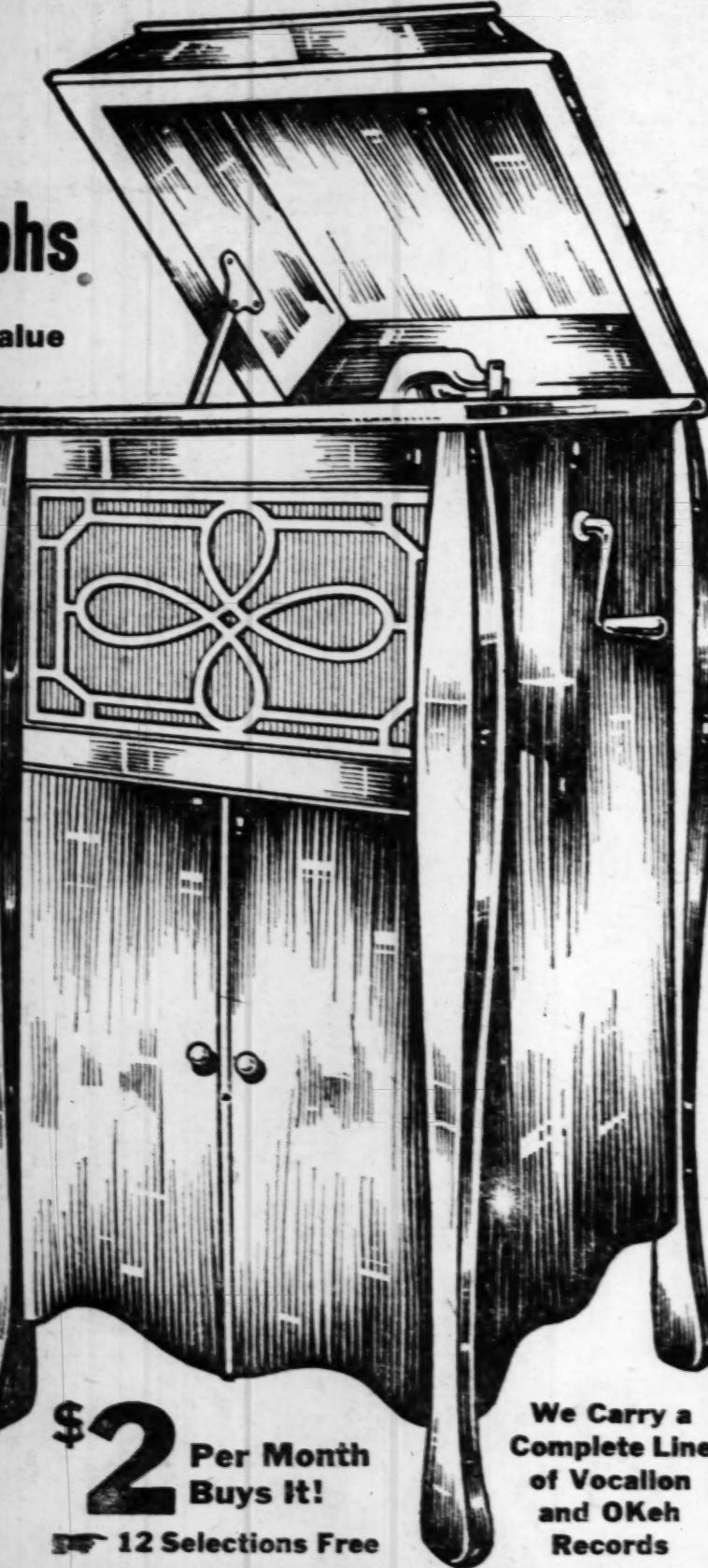
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MINISTERS OBJECT TO MIXED DANCES IN Y. W. C. A. HALLS

Unexpected Opposition Results in Delay of Action on Committee Report Favoring Permission for Parties.

ASSOCIATION ARM OF CHURCH, PASTORS SAY

Committee Member Explains Plan to Keep Groups of Girls From Hiring Outside Halls for Dances.

A phalanx of ministers appearing unexpectedly with prodigious frowns for the idea caused the board of directors of the Young Woman's Christian Association to postpone action yesterday on a proposal in a committee report that mixed dancing be permitted in the association's buildings.

The removal of restrictions on mixed dancing was contemplated to counteract a growing inclination of young women members of numerous clubs fostered by the association to group together and hire halls for dances to which they invited young men friends.

The committee thought the alternative of dances in the association buildings under proper chaperonage and with restricted invitation lists would be desirable.

The ministers said they were expressing the unanimous sentiment of the Presbyterian, Baptist and Southern Methodist clergy that the association supported by the interdenominational church, virtually was an arm of the church and that dancing, not being countenanced in church buildings, should not be permitted in association buildings.

Committee Favors Plan.

The subject first came up for discussion in the Y. W. C. A. board last May. In June 14, a committee, composed of Mmes. L. D. Lawrin, Harvey G. Mudd, Frank Lutes, Robert Hedges and Harry January, who appointed to consider the matter, its report, submitted yesterday, was as follows:

The committee stands, four to two, in favor of allowing mixed dancing in the Y. W. C. A. buildings under the following conditions:

1. That the dances be by invitation only.

2. Each girl shall be responsible for her guest.

3. That there shall be no dancing unless there is present a secretary or some committee member or a chaperone.

4. This recommendation does not include dances to which tickets are sold to the general public.

5. This committee recommends that the plan submitted by it be referred to a referendum vote of all members.

Experience of Other Cities.

Mrs. Lawrin said today that the ministers seemed inclined to the belief that the association proposed to establish a "dance hall."

"The girls have been going elsewhere to hold their dances, and we simply thought it preferable that they indulge in this form of entertainment within the association," she said.

"It is not proposed to establish a dance series, but simply to permit, whenever any group of members makes application, their use of the large hall in the Central building for their dancing parties.

"We wrote to the associations of many cities to learn their experience. We had replies from Cleveland, Philadelphia, New Orleans, Chicago, St. Louis, Buffalo and Kansas City. All, except Kansas City, have permitted dancing in their buildings, none less than three years and Cleveland as long as 15. Each reply was that the other activities of the association had not been impaired. New Orleans reported that it felt dancing had increased attendance."

Views Stated by Ministers.

The Rev. Dr. W. H. Geistweitz,

who presented the objections of the Baptist ministers, said today:

"Wholesome things produce wholesome things, and evil things evil."

The social results of modern day dancing are disastrous.

"My experience of 20 years is that dancing cannot be controlled."

The Rev. C. N. Clark, who represented the Southern Methodist Church, said: "The Y. W. C. A. is an institution supported by churches of all denominations. The Methodist Church officially opposes dancing. In any dispute affecting an institution in which varied interests are allied, I must shy at marked differences of opinion. An individual may do as he, an individual, thinks best, but that differs greatly from what a church may endorse as an institution."

The Rev. Dr. William Crowe, who spoke for the Presbyterian minister, said that their opposition to the proposed permission for mixed dancing was unanimous.

Another speaker said that "from the moral standpoint, the modern dance is never safe, no matter how careful the supervision."

The committee had not been warned of the coming of the ministers and was nonplussed. It moved that no action be taken until the January meeting. Meanwhile it expects to marshal its forces to present the negative of the ministers' views.

MILITARISTS EVIDENTLY INTEND TO RESUME CONTROL IN CHINA

Gen. Chang Shao-Tseng Appointed Premier With the Approval of Parliament.

By the Associated Press.

PEKIN, Dec. 12.—Gen. Chang Shao-Tseng, military leader, has been appointed Premier with the approval of Parliament. His selection, supported by Gen. Tsao-Kun, is believed to indicate the intention of the military party to resume control of China.

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LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 18.—
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CALHOUN, KY., Dec. 19.—Five men found guilty of working on Sunday, which was "not necessary or for a charitable purpose," were fined \$7.25 each by a McLean County Judge. All pleaded guilty rather than lose the time necessary to determine the charge. The men stripped out some tobacco and loaded it on their wagons. It began to heat and required removal, so the five started to market with it Sunday.

U. S. GRAND JURY IN GEORGIA IS TOLD TO COMBAT KLAN

District Judge Barrett, in Charge of Body, Criticises Organization, Asserting It Is Harmful.

OUTLINES "MOTIVES LEADING TO JOINING"

He Lists Anti-Negro, Anti-Catholic and Anti-Jew Sentiments, and Desire to Rule Without Courts.

by the Associated Press
ALBANY, Ga., Dec. 19.—Sharp criticism of the Ku Klux Klan assertions of its harmfulness and suggestions for combatting it were contained in the charge to the grand jury yesterday by Judge William H. Barrett of the United States District Court.

"With the earnestness and zeal of a Georgia citizen," said Judge Barrett, "one who loves his State and his country, I implore you to co-operate in combating what is unquestionably a menace, what I believe has not yet assumed as great magnitude as many would have us believe, but which in undoubtedly a disease in the body politic and if we are to treat it wisely, we should treat it now, in its incipiency, and that is the Ku Klux Klan."

Motives That Lead to Joining.
"I am told that the construction of this organization is worded in such a way that no patriotic citizen can cavil at it," Judge Barrett continued, "but my information is that the real motives that lead to joining, though not professed in the constitution, are usually one of four, I may say. One that perhaps had considerable force at the initiation of it was an anti-negro sentiment, founded upon the proposition that by reason of unusual treatment accorded some negro soldiers abroad, there might be an effort on their part to create an unhappy situation here. Another is an anti-Catholic sentiment, which would seek, if possible, to punish the heretic, to subdue all those who believe in that religion. Another was an anti-Jewish sentiment. Another and perhaps the most general, and I do not wish to be vituperative, was in arrogating to themselves a super-conduct and virtue by which they would determine what things were wrong, and that they could correct them wholly independent of Government, courts and law."

Question for Klansmen.
"I ask you, gentlemen," the Judge continued, "eye to eye and face to face, to ask the klansman if, perchance, he has a young daughter, if he is willing to do away with his wife and his children, and his wife and his children that he can risk and her protection shall depend not upon courts, not upon law, but upon the passions of men. Ask him, if he has a young son, if he is willing for him to grow up in a country that knows no law. Ask him, if he knows he is right, why mask. The cure of wrong is light. You may count upon it. When a man feels that he must act with a hidden countenance and secret, it is the death of his heart, he doubts his rightness."

"I call to his attention the fact that a mask may conceal not only any honest men and a patriot, but it may conceal a barbarian, one clothed with iniquity, one who seeks to wreak his own personal hate or jealousy, by taking advantage of the organization. I ask him if a mask cannot just as well hide a negro's face, a white face, a Catholic's face as a Protestant, a Jew's as well as a Gentile's. And, further, he does not realize that by this practice, however worthy he may think for the moment, he is turning loose the beast which will overcome all good government, all law, all justice, all love of man, and bring out country to dissolution and despair."

GOV. ALLEN AND KLAN CHIEF IN LIVELY DISCUSSION

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Imperial Wizard J. W. H. Evans of the Ku Klux Klan and Gov. Henry J. Allen of Kansas, arch enemy of the organization, met by chance at a hotel here yesterday and a heated debate over the "Invisible Empire" ensued. Gov. Allen minced no words in condemning it as an un-American and clandestine which drew from Evans the defense that crimes attributed to the Klan were committed by others.

Evans contended his following was doing much good and said that when the organization got a little stronger it would drop the mask and come out into the open. He insisted that the mask was necessary at present.

In the hotel Gov. Allen chanced to meet Gustav Borgum, the sculptor, who has been in Georgia working on the Civil War memorial on Stone Mountain. Borgum asked Gov. Allen to meet the Ku Klux chief.

Allen's Comment on Meeting.
"There really wasn't much significance to the meeting," Gov. Allen said afterward. "I expressed to Mr. Evans my objections to the Klan, but it can't be a secret organization, but it is a secret if it is clandestine. In all the secret organizations you can find out who are members and officers, but this has a clandestine

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conferring court rank or promotion,
has fulfilled his message toward the
dead man. From now on the grant-
ing of such honors will take place
prior to the death of the meritorious
man who has been taken ill and whom the Court wishes to reward.Operation on Prince Successful
By Associated Press.
LONDON, Dec. 15.—Prince
George, the King's youngest son, was
successfully operated upon for ap-
pendicitis today. The operation was
performed at the King Edward VII
Hospital for officers.U. S. GRAND JURY
IN GEORGIA IS TOLD
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membership and a clandestine place
of meeting."My chief objection, I told the
'Imperial Wizard,' is to the mask
and to the disorder it suggests in
providing a refuge behind which any
man may hide. The history of the
old Klan and of this is that they
have left a trail of lawlessness. Mr.
Evans said this lawlessness was not
the work of the Klan, but that the
guilty took advantage of it to accom-
plish their ends.""The purposes they say they have
in mind can be accomplished just as
well without the mask. He said that
in a little while he thought the Klan
would be established sufficiently to
come out from under the mask, but
that just now it is necessary to re-
tain the mask. He was rather vague
in his statement on this point.""He was well aware of the work of
the Klan, and I told him I did not
know of a single instance where it
had helped officers in the perfor-
mance of their duties in Kansas.
Instead of a help, the Klan has been
a problem. It has stirred up dis-
cord in communities, has got
Protestants quarreling with Cath-
olics and has created neighborhood
strife.""There is nothing more grotesque
than to call this thing 'American'
Americanism is particularly open and
broad and brave. The thing is in-
tolerant, furtive and not brave."

Klanman Defends Organization.

Evans had in his party here Fred
L. Savage of New York, "Imperial
Kluxiff" (vice president); D. W.
Rice and J. C. Moore. The last two
described themselves as Klanmen
authorized by the "Imperial Wizard"
to reveal their identity. Rice,
the spokesman, described himself as
being from "one of the Middle
Western States."Rice denied all charges made
against the Klan by which he termed
the "hostile Klan in this section."
He said the Klan had hired the best
investigators in the United States
and sent them into Mer-Rouge, La.,
to seek out those guilty of the re-
cent crimes there and bring them to
justice. The disappearance of
two men, one an ex-soldier, at Mer-
Rouge, caused Gov. John M. Parker
to denounce the Klan and request
Federal assistance.The spokesman said the facts
would reveal to the public if the
Klan had the power to do it."There might have been some
Klanmen in the affair," he added.
"I don't know. If so, they will be
dismissed."DRUG CLFRK, 63, TRIES TO ROUT
TWO ARMED ROBBERS IN STOREThey Knock Him Down, Take His
Diamond Stud and Escape After
Failing to Open Cash Register.
Charles J. Bentz, 63 years old, a
clerk in the drug store of Charles
Gessler, 2519 South Broadway, at-
tempted to rout two armed men who
held him up in the store at 6 p. m.
yesterday, and was knocked uncon-
scious. He suffered four scalp
wounds and was robbed of a dia-
mond stud. He valued it at \$500.Bentz joined the police the two men
entered the store and he threw some
talcum powder. When Bentz asked
what brand was desired they drew
revolvers and one remarked: "This
kind." Bentz was ordered to throw
up his hands, but instead hit the
one closest to him in the jaw. The
two then knocked Bentz to the floor.
They attempted to open the cash
register, after taking Bentz's stud
from his tie, but failed and departed,
escaping in an automobile.

JURY SAW A "CROOK" DRAMA

Oklahoma Court of Appeals Grants
New Trial to Man Sentenced
to Life.Special to the Post-Dispatch.
OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Dec. 19.—
Because during the course of a
murder trial the jury was permitted
to witness a "crook" drama on the
screen, the State Criminal Court of
Appeals has reversed the judgment
against Eugene Lively, recently sen-
tenced to life imprisonment, and
granted him a new trial. Lively was
convicted on a charge of the murder
of Ed Webber, a neighbor, in
July, 1918.According to the records of the
case the jurors, when taken for a
walk, were allowed to attend a pic-
ture show where a story was depicted
involving similar circumstances
to those introduced at the trial.

UNION ELECTRIC PLANS APPROVED

Formal Order on Re-financing Is-
sued by Public Service Body.
Special to the Post-Dispatch.JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 19.—A
formal order, giving final approval to
the refinancing plans of the Union
Electric Light and Power Co. of St.
Louis, and issuing a certificate of
public convenience and necessity, was
made late yesterday by the Pub-
lic Service Commission.Details of the plans were agreed
upon several months ago, as was told
in the Post-Dispatch at the time.
Final approval of the commission
was withheld until the Illinois Public
Utilities Commission had con-
sented to the plans, some of the
contemplated extensions of the com-
pany being in Illinois.Former Soldier Found Hurt on Side-
walk.Police are seeking to learn how a
man identified by army discharge
papers as William Andrew Shieke,
about 35 years old, a drummer, came
to have a fractured skull and scalp
wounds from which he was found
unconscious on the sidewalk in front
of 714 Market street at 1 a. m. today.
He was taken to the city hospital.
Police found in his possession a
pawn ticket for an overcoat
pledged for \$1, laundry tickets and
the discharge papers. He wore work-
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MRS. GRON TO CHANGE HER NAME

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 19.—Mrs.
Madeline Masters Gron of Portland,
formerly of Chicago and New York,
granted an absolute divorce from
Niels Gron, Danish diplomat, here
yesterday, will change her name to
"Green," she announces. She as-

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DR. POHLMAN TALKS
ON VALUE OF EXERCISE

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a mind and therefore are wont to exercise it. This they do by inflicting mental punishment on this perfectly good mind with the mistaken idea they are going to improve it. This proposition is based on the same premise that the master, the teacher, the employer, the parent, etc., will do one. Just as some people realize they have a certain obligation to their body, and drag it off to a gymnasium to punish it and steam it and have it massaged with the idea that this spells youth.

"The secret of proper exercise is that it shall be something out of the ordinary routine. Walking is poor exercise for letter carriers and piano lessons may be an improper practice for stenographers. The second ingredient is proper exercise is that it must avoid all punishment. The exercise must be fun. It must be something that the twins—both me and my body—will enjoy. The third ingredient is that the exercise must not be distasteful to one's neighbor. Mowing the lawn at daybreak is a type of exercise out of place. A saxophone is an excellent thing for a poorly distended lung but overindulgence may be an ear sore in a community. It is maintained by some few that the music itself is the culprit from this instrument. The fourth ingredient is that one must not make a vocation of exercise to the neglect of other duties in life. A well balanced mind is a wonderful thing. A well balanced body is even more wonderful and the combination of the two is extremely rare.

"Find Out Your Reserve."

"No one knows how good his mind is unless he has had his mental powers strained. No one knows how good his body is until it has been exercised. Therefore, in your investigation of the twins, find out how much reserve you really have, both mental and physical. Let us strive for all things which make for a healthy mind and body that the twins shall live in harmony. Remember the old laws of animal selection are still with us and nowadays no child can be too careful in the selection of his parents. How careless have your children been?"

An address on Christmas fire hazards on last night's program was of particular interest to the twins. This was made by Harold H. Hough, chairman of the Fire Prevention Bureau of the Chamber of Commerce. He urged the use of electric lights rather than candles on the Christmas tree. He deprecated the old-time custom of placing a candle in the window on Christmas eve for fear of starting a fire by igniting the curtains. He advised that Christmas tree lighting by electricity should be installed by an electrician so the connections are properly made and ended by strongly urging every household to remove the Christmas tree the day after Christmas instead of allowing it to remain up the remainder of the week. "Christmas tree," he said, "become highly combustible when they dry out from heat in the room."

"Decorations for the tree should be of metal," he declared. "Paper or celluloid decorations are extremely inflammable and will ignite at a comparatively low temperature. Toys involving the use of alcohol, gasoline or kerosene should be avoided, and low-priced electrical playthings should be viewed with suspicion, since they are often insecurely wired or flimsily constructed.

"In recent years a number of small motion picture projectors have been placed on the market as Christmas toys. Very disastrous results have followed, as all kinds of film, discarded by exchanges are used in their operation without the knowledge of their high inflammability. It would be difficult to place a more dangerous combination in the hands of children."

Remove Packing Materials.

"At this season of the year in the home and store there is always an excess accumulation of holiday packing materials. In the home, these should be destroyed at once. In the store, where they are kept for use in packing sales, they should be stored in covered receptacles and in a section of the building most remote from any hazardous spark. It is especially dangerous to allow rubbish to accumulate."

"Decorations used at the Christmas season should be of fireproofed material. Artificial leaves, streamers, paper shades or ornaments should never be used unless they are fireproofed. This is also true of window decorations. If fire should occur, be sure to call the Fire Department immediately, giving definite information as to the location of the premises, so as to avoid unnecessary delay. Have your family instructed as to the method of giving such an alarm, both from the fire alarm box and over the telephone."

"Tonight's program last night was one of the best that has been arranged by Marcus L. Epstein. It included concert piano numbers, piano solos and songs and introduced to radio enthusiasts a new baritone. This was Mario Faltoni, who sang the Prologue to "Pagliacci" artistically. His voice is the full-throated type of baritone which moves easily from one register to another with no break, however, and is genuinely dramatic. The entire program was of the classical type and each number was given an artistic presentation. Tonight's program will consist of dance music principally, although there will be two groups of piano numbers.

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After Fulton Battered Him, About All That Was Left of the Sapulpa Giant Was Pulp

Jim Corbett Says Boxing Rules Should Be Standardized; Draws Up Code He Thinks Satisfactory

Dedicates New Rules to Theodore Roosevelt Who Gave Him Valuable Suggestions, Former Champion Says—Would Allow 20 Seconds to Fighter Knocked Out of Ring.

James J. Corbett, one of the few former world's ring champions able to make a fortune by talents other than of his fists, is with us again, showing at a local theater.

Corbett has not permitted his ring interest to wane. In fact, Corbett's present hobby is winning recognition for a new set of boxing rules which he hopes to have universally adopted.

Corbett contends that the different codes governing the game in various countries and the different interpretations to be found even in this country greatly handicap boxers, the officials and the public.

Corbett is strongly opposed to the present system of matches to matches, most of unequal weights, in holding titles undefended longer than six months, to all judging systems except that of the single referee, to permitting covering up or "going into a shell" as practiced by so many boxers today, and to the employment of incompetent seconds and unschooled referees. Speaking of his new code, Corbett said:

Standard Code Needed.

The Marquis of Queensberry's laws are quite out of date, in some respects. Even now they are modified to suit present conditions. It is necessary to standardize not only the code but the system of judging bouts.

I talked over rule revisions with the late Theodore Roosevelt several times and I have decided to call the code after him. The Roosevelt Boxing Rules, as many of them were due to suggestions made by the former president himself.

If I am greatly opposed to the present plan of bouts determined by many young men today of covering the boxers who have scored the greatest number of clean, effective blows with the knuckles of his closed hand. All other things being equal, style, both on attack and defense, and leading, shall receive the referee's consideration in reaching a decision. The referee may stop the contest for unnecessary roughness or other rule violations and render what decision he deems necessary.

Rule 4—The names and weights of the eight different classes of boxers shall be as follows:

Rule 5—New gloves, with the padding over the knuckles unbroken, weighing no less than 5 nor more than 8 ounces shall be used.

Rule 6—Bandages shall consist of not more than six layers of thin adhesive tape or gauze and must be put on in the ring, subject to inspection by referees and opponents.

Rule 7—Four seconds or assistants shall be allowed each boxer. They must not coach audibly or assist their man in any way while the round is in progress.

Boxer Knocked Through Ropes Given Twenty Seconds in Which to Recover

Rule 8—The contestants shall be allowed to hit each other with their gloved hands above the waist line.

It shall be foul for a boxer to strike his opponent after time has been called at the end of a round. It shall be foul to butt with the head, hit with the elbow, kick sideways, punch the hand, the forearm, or to bite, kick, tread upon an opponent's toes, blow water or excretions in his face or to throw him to the floor, or out of the ring.

Rule 9—Contestants must protect themselves at all times but must break at referee's command. Clean break rules may be agreed upon if desired. Wrestling, pulling, pushing, failure to break a foul.

HERE'S A NEEDFUL NOVELTY.

Rule 10—After knockdowns, boxers must step back 10 feet during the contest. The usual conditions govern the bout. If a new feature is that if a boxer is knocked down, the ropes and out of the ring, he shall be allowed 20 seconds instead of 10 to regain his feet in the ring. In case both boxers are knocked out simultaneously, the referee shall count 10 and declare the bout a draw.

Rule 11—It shall be foul for a boxer to hit below the "belt," which shall be 2 inches below the naval.

Rule 12—It is foul to hit a man who is down. A boxer on one knee, who is helpless, with the ropes or outside the ring shall be considered down.

Rule 13—It shall be foul intentionally to twist or squeeze an opponent's arm, hand, wrist, head or neck or with enough force to disable him or grasp him about the legs.

Rule 14—It shall be foul intentionally to fall down without being hit.

Rule 15—It shall be foul for a boxer to enter the ring, during the

DESCAMPS WENT TO SIKI'S CORNER IN 4TH ROUND, PICTURE SHOWS

PARIS, Dec. 19.—A close study of the film of the Carpenter-Siki fight shows that Francois Descamps, manager of the French boxer, went to Siki's corner in the fourth round and said something to Hellénius, the Siki's manager, according to a story printed by L'Auto today. The journal recalls that according to this account, it was in the fourth round that the French boxer refused to allow himself to be beaten. Vice President Boubariot of the Boxing Federation is an interview with L'Auto, and the manager of the manager of another white boxer was in progress. The journal adds that the Federation's investigating Committee had also seen the film and will no doubt draw its own conclusion.

Heffernan Eleven Wins.

The Heffernans defeated the Connollys, 3-2, in the feature game in the Holy Name Soccer League, while the O'Toole's were downed by the Foothills, 4-2. The victory for the Heffernans and the loss for the O'Toole's tied the two for first place, with 18 points. The Connolly's own 18 and the Foothills 8.

Tigers to Play Texas.

COLLEGEVILLE, Mo., Dec. 19.—The University of Missouri basketball team will meet the University of Texas in a game here the night of Jan. 1. Athletic Director E. G. Clever announced yesterday.

MOSCOW STARS IN CITY BOWLING TOURNAMENT

H. Saller starred in last night's rolling in the city scratch bowling tournament on the Palace alleys, going into first place in the singles and all events. He counted 655 in the individual, with games of 182, 224 and 223. His all-events total was 1804. He scored 571 in the five-man and 578 in double. Hauglin, 616, was the only other bowler with a 200 average in singles.

C. Hepton and E. E. Grubb, each

1154, moved into fourth place in the doubles. Hepton totaled 620 and his partner 564.

ZYBSZKO GETS CALL TO RETURN TO MOTHERLAND

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 19.—Again the call of the motherland has come from Poland this time to Stanislaus Zybszko, the wrestler. In times of stress and trouble he called many of prominence. During the winter Polanskowski, the world's greatest pianist, was present when the call Zybszko received word just now from Polish legation in Washington stating that his presence was wanted at a political tumult. Zybszko has signed a bill of lading of date for his departure and will not leave until it is absolutely necessary. He has signed contracts calling for many appearances on the mat this winter.

Central High Coach To Be Honored at Banquet Thursday

FAT CARL MORRIS PROVES NO MATCH FOR FRED FULTON

By the Associated Press

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 19.

W. H. KLEPPER, principal

baseball club, telephoned to

Jack Kearns, manager for Jack

Dempsey, to make an offer of

\$10,000 for a 16-round boxing

match for the championship of

the world between Dempsey and

Jess Willard, to be held here

July 4.

Klepper said he had financial

backing which would enable him

to put on the match, and that if

it is arranged, an outdoor arena

will be constructed in which to

hold it.

Willard, who is here, declared

himself agreeable to the pro-

posal.

MINNESOTA HEAVYWEIGHT DEFEATS ANCIENT FOG IN FOURTH ROUND ON TECHNICAL KAYO.

TULSA, Ok., Dec. 19.—With a

body attack that quickly took all the

fight out of his weight-burdened and

ageing opponent, Fred Fulton, the

giant Minnesota plasterer, battered

his way to victory by a technical

Kayo last night, in the fourth round

of their scheduled 10-round bout.

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Additional Sporting News

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Teams Remain in
Soccer Flag Race

Third Round U. S. F. A. Games
are Scheduled for This
Week-End.

TOK, Dec. 19.—The national soccer championship, known as the National Challenge Cup competition, is being annually conducted by the U. S. Football Association.

After the round preceding the third round, 17 clubs

of the 132 clubs are

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At present, 17 clubs

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**Also Fail to Show a
 Clearly Defined Tendency
 Lower Range to British
 Exchange Rate.**

**Wire From the New York
 Office of the Post-Dispatch**

YORK, Dec. 19.—The Evening Post, copyrighted financial re-
 porter, says:
 "The effect of the down-
 town failure largely a thing
 of the past and with the Great North-
 east out of the way the market
 was a narrow and pros-
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Sterling is Lower.

London had the first opportunity
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 was 2 1/2 pounds above
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 is estimated at slightly
 than 46,000,000 which is 3.2
 smaller than the final figure
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 opened this morning the new
 were reflected in a moderate
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 yesterday. The May feature
 as \$1.34%, but at the
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Foreign Exchange

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YORK, Dec. 19.—Following is a
 of foreign exchange quotations

EUROPEAN RATES

100 U.S. \$4.80 per sovereign

100 francs 100.00; 100.00
 100 days. 94.62; commercial, 90 days,

(per 10.3c per franc)—

100 francs 7.50 1/2c.

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**BOY DIES OF INJURY BY AUTO LAST THURSDAY**

St. Louis Policemen Reported Driver of Car That Hit Lad in Ferguson Was Not Identified.

John Miller, 12 years old, son of Mrs. Evelyn Porcel of 314 Florissant road, Ferguson, died at 5:50 p. m. yesterday at the Children's Hospital of a fractured skull suffered last Thursday when struck by an automobile on Florissant road in Ferguson.

St. Louis policemen who investigated reported that the driver of the automobile, a Ford touring car, had failed to stop after the accident and was not identified. An inquest will be held in St. Louis, and the case will be turned over to the County authorities.

Auto Hits Motor Cycle Pulling Away From Curb, Injuring Rider.

An automobile driven by Thomas McPheeters, an attorney, 5099 Worman avenue, at 6:50 p. m. yesterday, collided with the motor cycle of Joseph Coad, 19, of 3019 North Union Boulevard, pulling away from the curb in front of 1111 Washington boulevard. Coad was taken to his home in a serious condition, with internal injuries, scalp wounds and bruises.

Paul Palermo, 23, of 1112 North Leonard avenue, suffered internal injuries and fractured ribs at 7:30 p. m. when his automobile, turning south on King's highway across Manchester avenue from a filling station, was struck by a Manchester street car. He was taken to the Baptist Hospital.

MERGER PROGRAM OF UNIONS

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Peoria AND RETURN . . . \$9.10
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Correspondingly Low Fares

To All Other Illinois Stations Minimum fare for adults, \$3.00 Children under 12 years of age half fare.

Excursion tickets will be sold for trains leaving St. Louis at or after 9 P. M. Friday, Dec. 22d, and all trains of Saturday, Dec. 23d, and Sunday, Dec. 24th, good returning up to and including midnight Tuesday, Dec. 26, 1922.

5 trains a day to Chicago.

6 trains a day to Springfield

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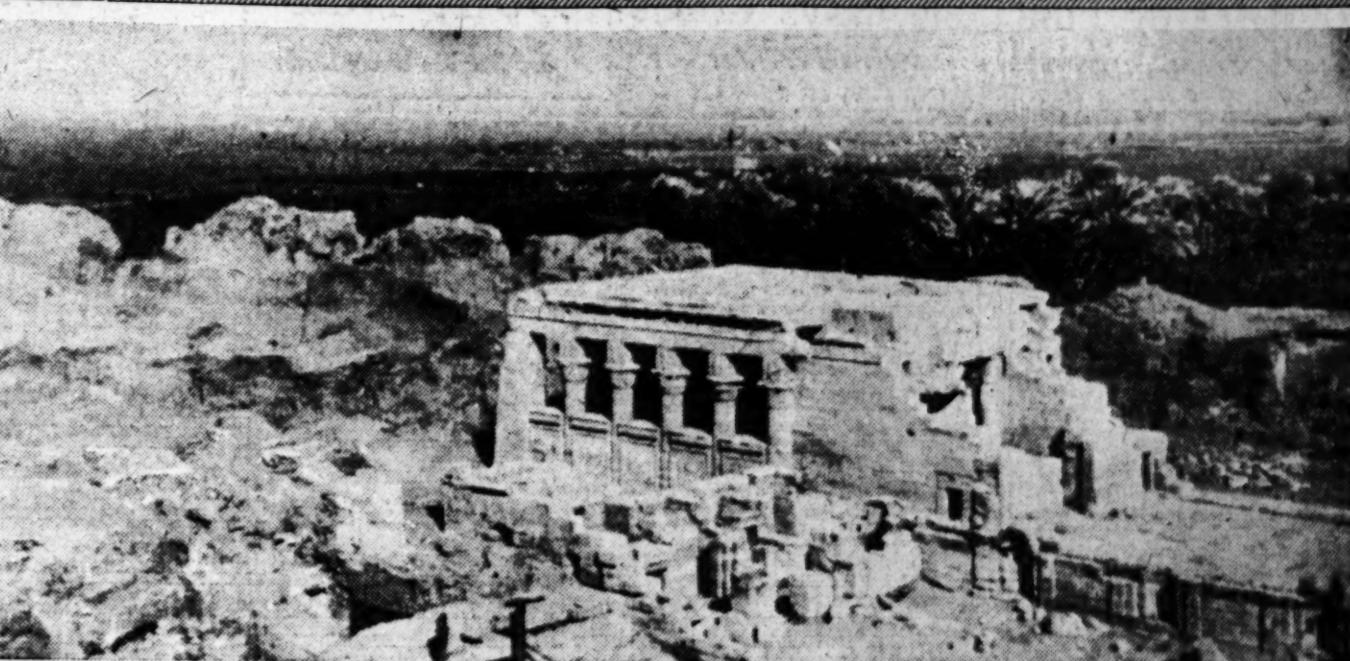
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While the Governors of many states were holding their annual conference at White Sulphur Springs, their wives were enjoying the attractions of the resort, too. Here is a group of them. Front row, left to right: Mrs. E. Lee Trinkle of Virginia; Mrs. J. V. Sullivan of Virginia; Mrs. William D. Denny of Delaware; Mr. Arthur M. Hyde of Missouri; Mrs. E. F. Morgan of West Virginia; Mrs. John M. Parker of Louisiana; Mrs. Thomas E. Campbell of Arizona; Mrs. William E. Sproul of Pennsylvania. In the rear are Mrs. Garrett B. Wall and Mrs. William Hines.

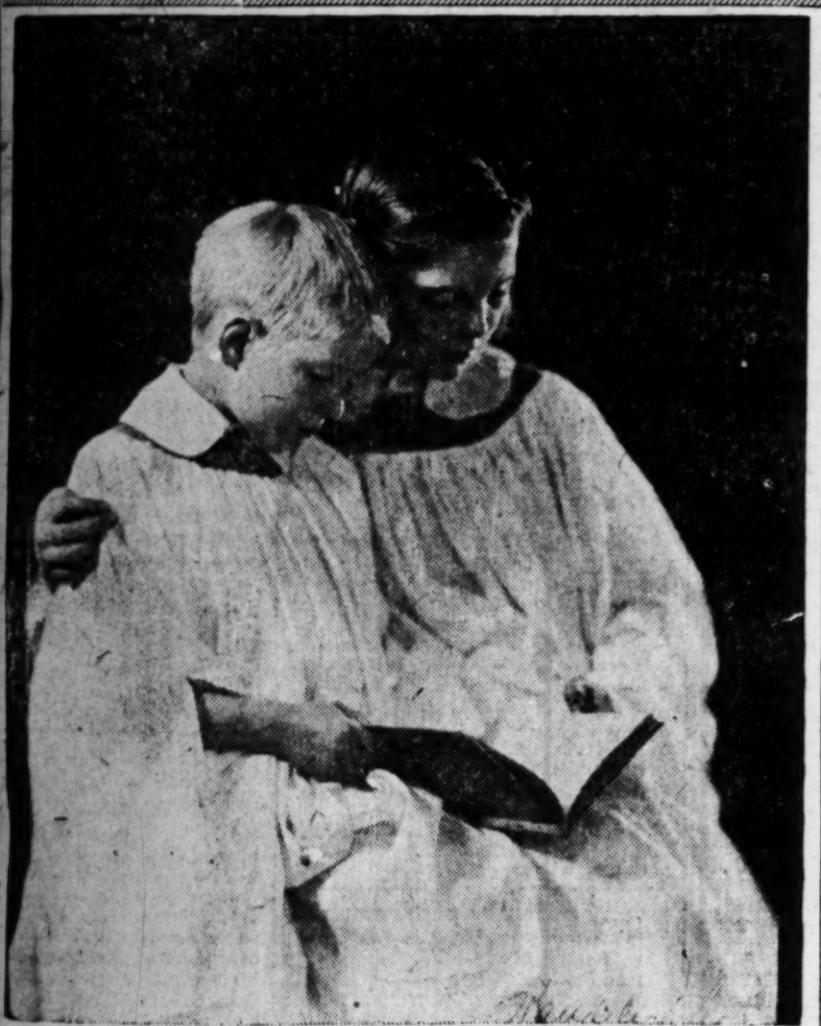


The tomb of Tutankhamun, near Luxor, Egypt, in which treasures said to be worth more than \$40,000,000 have been unearthed recently by Howard Carter, an explorer, and the Earl of Carnarvon, who have been at work for seven years.

—Pacific & Atlantic Photograph.

To the right: Prince and Princess Christopher, who have sailed from London for America. Prince Christopher is the younger brother of former King Constantine of Greece, while Princess Christopher was Mrs. William B. Leeds, wife of the tin plate king.

—International Photo.



To the left: Katherine and John Boyd, children of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Boyd Jr., 4470 Westminster place, who have been selected as official collectors for the downtown Christmas Carol groups, which will sing next Friday.

—Kandel & Herbert News Photo.



To the right: After all the scowling images which archeologists have dug up, look at this smiling countenance, taken out of an ancient mound in Tennessee. It is of burnt clay, and now exhibited by the Tennessee Historical Society.

—Kadel & Herbert News Photo.

To the right: American photograph of Feodor Chaliapin, the great Russian basso, now on his first visit to this country.

—Copyright, Underwood & Underwood, Chicago.

The Prince of Wales as a jockey. He is mounted on "Pet Dog" for the start of the Novation Race in the point-to-point steeplechase of the Oxford University Bullingdon Club.

—Underwood & Underwood Photograph.



The Prince of the Asturias, son of the King of Spain and heir to the Spanish throne, does his bit as a private, carrying a rifle in the Spanish army. He is indicated by the cross.

—Kadel & Herbert Photograph.



SOME WINTER SEE SU

'Unconscious Self' Is Grand Director of All Our Functions, Says Coue

Physical Diseases Easier to Cure Than Mental

"Day by Day in Every Way I Am Getting Better and Better"

"Contrary to general opinion, suggestion, or autosuggestion, CAN bring about the cure of organic lesions."

"Formerly it was believed that hypnosis could be applied only to the treatment of nervous illnesses; its domain is FAR GREATER than that. It is true that hypnosis acts through the intermediary or the nervous system; but the nervous system dominates the whole organism. The muscles are set in movement by the nervous system; the nerves regulate the circulation by their direct action on the heart, and by their action on the blood vessels which they dilate or contract."

"THE NERVES ACT ON ALL THE ORGANS, AND BY THEIR INTERMEDIATION ALL THE UNHEALTHY ORGANS MAY BE AFFECTED."

"DOCTEUR PAUL JOIRE."
PRESIDENT OF THE SOCIETE UNIVERSELLE D'ETUDES PSYCHIQUES.

By Dr. Emile Coue.

Article VIII.

MANY people who have been treating some sort of ailment all their lives, in vain, imagine that they can or should be immediately cured by auto-suggestion.

This is a mistake; it is not reasonable to think so. It is the case, especially in suggestion, more than it can normally produce—that is to say, a progressive improvement which little by little transforms itself into a complete cure, when that is possible.

Every illness has two aspects unless it is exclusively a mental one. Indeed, on every physical illness a mental one comes and attaches itself.

How is this phenomenon to be explained? In the simplest way. Under the influence of the idea: "The hemorrhage is to stop," the unconscious has sent the command to stop the flow of blood, and, obediently, they contracted naturally as they would have done artificially at the contact of a hemostatic like adrenalin, for example.

The same reasoning allows how a fibrous tumor can be made to disappear. The unconscious having accepted the idea: "It is to go," the brain orders the arteries, which nourish it, to contract. They do so, refusing their services, and ceasing to nourish the tumor which, deprived of nourishment, dries up, is reabsorbed and disappears!

Let me cite now a case where the patient's ailment had an additional obstacle to suggestion treatment. The organ obeys with difficulty, and at once or little by little performs its functions in a normal manner.

Contrary to common opinion, physical diseases are generally far more easily cured than mental ones.

In order to understand properly the part played by suggestion, or rather by autosuggestion, it is enough to know that the unconscious self is the grand director of our functions.

Make it believe, as I said in a preceding article, that a certain organ, which does not function well, must perform its function, and instantly the order is transmitted. The organ obeys with difficulty, and at once or little by little performs its functions in a normal manner.

This explains simply and clearly how by means of suggestion one can stop hemorrhages, cause fibrous tumors to disappear, cure paralysis, tubercular lesions, etc.

Let us take for example a case of dental hemorrhage which I had the opportunity of observing in the consulting room of M. Gauthier, a dentist at Troyes. A young lady whom I had helped to cure herself of asthma, from

(Copyright, 1922.)

The Habit of Do It Now

By Sophie Irene Loeb

From the records of Mme. Emile Leon, Coue's disciple and attendant at his "seances."

Question: Why is it that I do not obtain better results although I use your method and prayer?

Dr. Coue: Because, probably, at the back of your mind there is an unconscious doubt, or, because you are "afraid." Now, because that efforts are determined by the will; if you bring the will into play, you run a serious risk of bringing the imagination into play, too, but in the contrary direction, which brings about just the reverse of what you desire.

He said he was busy that day, but he would come back the next day and attend to it. The next day the sun shone and for several days Old Sol beamed on the roof.

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The Man on the Sandbox by L. C. Davis

THE CAT COMES BACK.

HERE was a man in our town
And he was wondrous wise;
For every year he salted down
A flock of Christmas ties.
And when next Christmas rolled around,
With all his might and main
He put them in another box
And sent them back again.

GIVE A DOG A BAD NAME.

IS the voice of the rascal. I hear him complain:
The critics have started to razz me again;
It doesn't much matter which course I pursue,
I'll be damned if I don't and be damned if I do.

The people accuse me of being a crook.
And say that my matches are made for the book;
I notice, however, that as it may,
They never get even by staying away.

TOO TRUE.

'34 Degrees Below Zero at Medicine Hat.
Medicine Hat is no place for a wigwam.

The greater part of the United States was clear, fair or cloudy. No chance for an argument there.

A big copper merger is reported under way. It is said that Anaconda will swallow Chile.

PAIR ENOUGH.

Senator Borah suggests that Europe come to us with clean hands before we give them a hand-out.

Seems like a friend in need is a friend to bleed.

A Brooklyn schoolboy claims that his hearing has been permanently impaired by having his ears boxed by a school teacher. He will get a hearing in court.

If a boy were chastised in the proper place the worst that could happen would be a temporary impairment of his seating capacity.

If France could be induced to sell his interest in the Red Sox maybe

METROPOLITAN MOVIES—BY GENE CARR



"Yer pop'll be home for his supper any minute an' they won't be any stew for him!"

MY FAVORITE STORIES
By IRVIN S. COBB.

A STRANGER IN THOSE PARTS.

JOHN J. McGRAW, manager of the Giants, is willing to give a chance to every applicant who comes along seeking a place on his baseball team. The method has yielded him several good players, also at least one good laugh.

One morning the club was at practice on the Polo Grounds when a lank youngster, evidently just from the country, got inside the enclosure somehow and made his way to where McGraw was sitting on the bench watching his performers cavort over the diamond.

"Mister McGraw," said the youth, "I'd like mighty to git a chance to play ball for you."

"What position do you play?" snapped McGraw.

"Right field," stated the youth.

"All right, grab a glove and go out yonder and show me what you've got."

The youngster shifted his weight from one leg to the other and looked at him appealingly.

"Heard what I told you, didn't you?" barked McGraw. "Go on out yonder and let me see what you can do."

"Mister McGraw," said the youth, "I'm a stranger in this here town and this is the first time I've ever been up here, and I'd like to ask you which is right field in this park."

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"YOU KNOW ME, AL!"—WORDS AND PLOT BY RING LARDNER

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By the Associated Press.
LAUSANNE, Dec. 20.—After opposition to the proposal of the United Powers for a committee to rule the Turkish straits took concrete form in a memorandum presented by Ambassador Child to the Secretary-General of the peace conference.

The representatives of the United States, on behalf of their Government, made the memorandum, in which they said that full freedom of navigation for all nations without discrimination, will best be secured on a treaty basis, and not on a joint international commission of neutrals.

Negotiations to Continue
The meetings of the peace conference adjourned this afternoon after setting a date for a future conference. The day's session was one hour and three-quarters.

Delegates leaving the audience hall said progress had been made and that there was no danger of a break in the negotiations.

As the American observers, under Chief Minister Tiresias, and Admiral Bristol fled in to the audience hall of the other delegations, it was noticed that all were rather serious.

A report was circulated before the meeting that Ismet Pasha had received instruction from Ankara which would cause him to stand firm on matters likely to affect Turkey's sovereignty.

U. S. Our Friend, Turks
The Turks say the allies are sending things which impair the recognition of the Turkish and the gradual loss of control over the people.

Referring to the American attitude on the straits, a spokesman for the Turkish delegation said this afternoon.

"The Americans are our friends. They have confidence in our capacity to act justly."

Turkey is described as absolute in its attitude on matters touching the straits, capitulations, and tariff regulation, the settlement of which is not in the kind of progress she

on the delicate minority problem. The allies have introduced a new proposal which has been influenced by the Turks. The Turks desire all the minority populations designated as "Moslem," but the allies desire this designation, but drop the name there exist in Turkey other minorities which are of equal faith, for example, the Greeks who are considered entitled to special protection by the Government and the League of Nations.

Ambassador Child last night had a long conversation with the allied leaders about the straits problem. The whole conference must be disposed of by Friday.

Allied leaders last night served a note to the Turks today asking them to accept or reject the American proposal for settlement of the straits.

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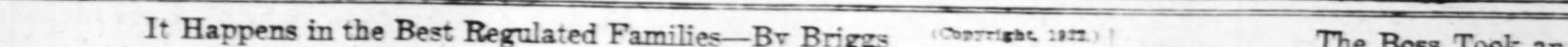
BEING SENSIBLE ISN'T MUCH FUN, ANYWAY—By RUBE GOLDBERG



STEVE, HIMSELF

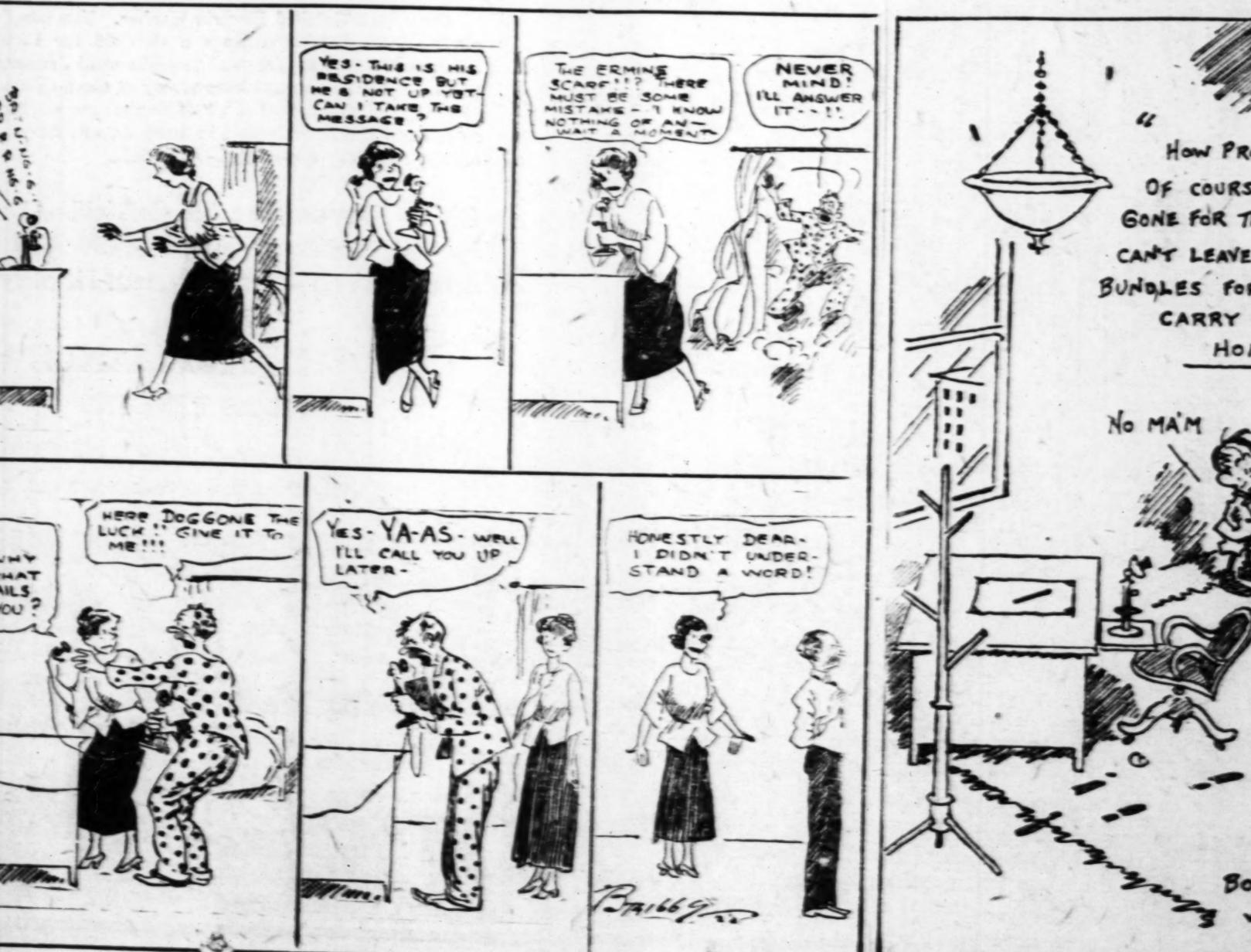


MUTT AND JEFF—MUTT TRIES TO IMPRESS A WALL STREET MAN AND FAILS—By BUD FISHER

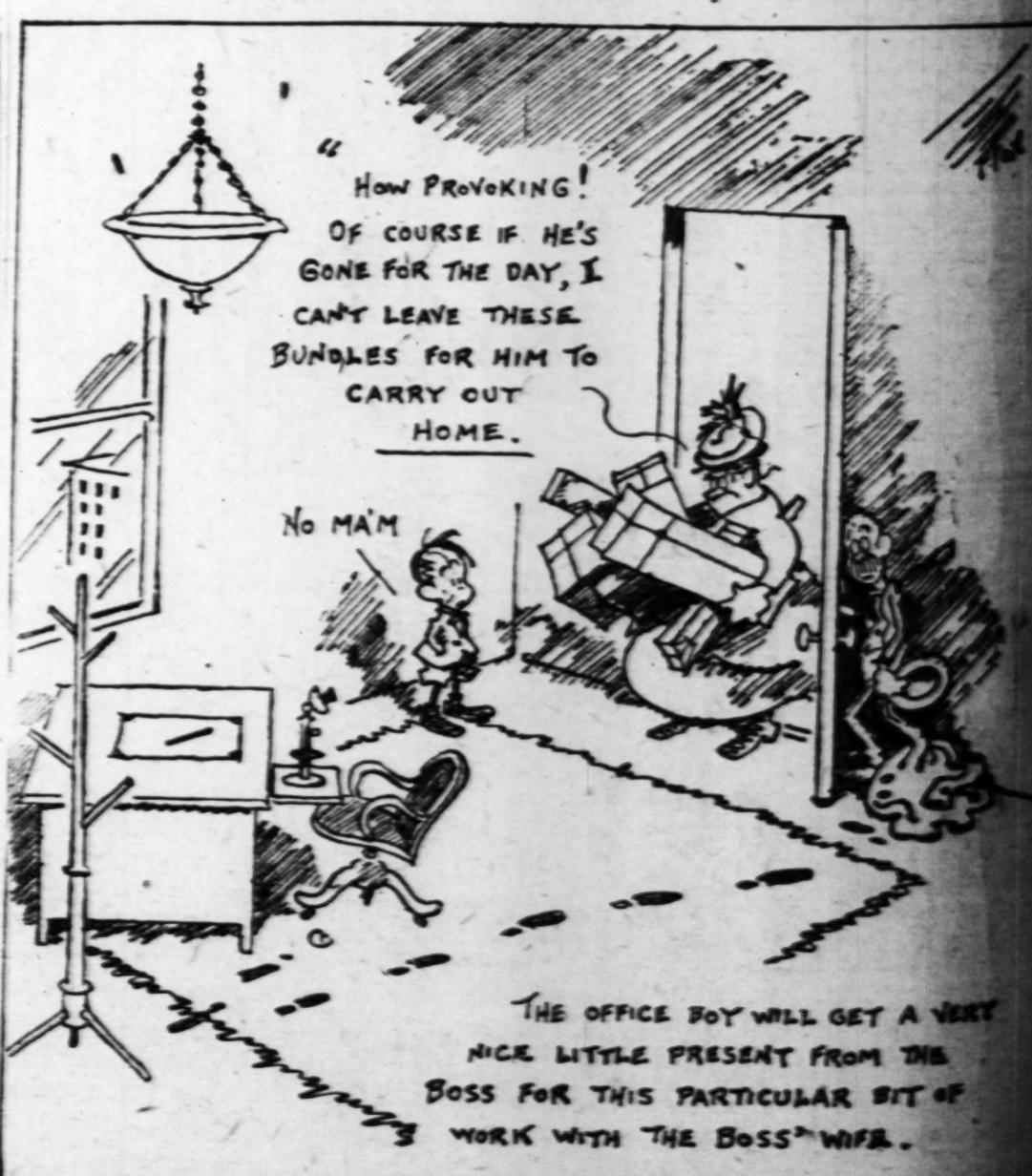


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